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THE break in the line below Wabashaw having been repaired, the telegraph East refuses to "give down," so that we are without dispatches this morning.

THE EXPEDITION TO FORT THOMPSON.

A letter was received from Col. Thompson, Superintendant of Indian Affairs, yesterday. This letter brings news of the safe arrival of the Indian Supply Expedition at Fort Thompson on the 2d inst. The entire loss on the route consisted of one ox. Twenty wagons were left at Butternut Valley, twenty miles out from Mankato. With that exception everything went through in good order.

The expedition left Mankato on the 7th of November, and leaving out the detentions, which amounted to eight days, before they left our settlements, the actual time consumed in making the trip was eighteen days. The distance as measured by the odometer was 280 miles and the feasibility of the route was absolutely settled. In the summer season when feed is good the trip can be made in fourteen days.

The opening of this route is a very important matter which will result, ultimately, in the establishment of a new overland route to the Idaho gold mines and the valley of the Yellow Stone.

Provisions and transportation were much higher at Sioux City than in the upper Minnesota valley, and the government as well as the public is largely the gainer by Col. Thompson's enterprise in opening this new route.

THE GETTYSBURG CEMETERY.

Commissioners from Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Connecticut, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Ohio, Indiana, and Wisconsin, met at Gettysburg on the 17th and passed a series of resolutions to be submitted to the States interested in the cemetery as follows:

1st, That the State of Pennsylvania shall hold the title to the land in trust for the States having soldiers buried there.

2nd, That the Legislature of Pennsylvania, be requested to create a corporation to be managed by trustees from each of the States.

3d, The estimated expenses of finishing the Cemetery are $33,500.

4th, That the several States be asked to appropriate their proportion of that amount.

5th, That the States make an annual appropriation for keeping the Cemetery in repair.

Letters were received from Gov. Seymour of New York, Gov. Blair of Michigan, Gov. Swift of Minnesota, and others.

ONE WEEK MORE.

Let every one remember that after next Tuesday the Government will pay but one hundred dollars bounty for volunteers. For one week more the magnificent bounties of $402 for veterans and $302 for volunteers joining old regiments, will be paid. All who desire to escape the draft by enlisting, should come forward now and fill up the ranks during the coming week. The Government gives fair warning; you can have the bounty or take your chance as the wheel revolves.

THE New York *Herald* is making itself ridiculous and at the same time trying to kill Gen. Grant by nominating him for the Presidency. Every editorial, no matter upon what subject, rings the changes upon Gen. Grant, and the number of these articels range from six to ten daily. The General has endured this persecution very patiently, but at last has written a letter to his friends in New York in which he says there will be time enough for President making six months hence, and in the meantime advises them to fill up his ranks and thus enable him to move upon the enemy's works.

Gen. Grant, by this course, puts his enemies to shame, and adds to his already brilliant reputation.

PATRIOTIC FAMILIES.

Baker Graham enlisted at Fort Snelling yesterday. He has eleven brothers who have all enlisted in Wisconsin regiments, and now the twelfth goes to do battle for his country.

John McKibbin is another volunteer, and one of seven brothers, all of whom have enlisted in Capt. Slaughter's Company.

Can any families beat these in patriotism?

THE intercepted correspondence which we publish on the second page, was given to the New York press, by Secretary Welles, but an order was afterwards sent from Washington, pronouncing it contraband. As usual in such cases some paper disobeyed, and this time it was the Washington *Chronicle* from whose columns all the papers in the country will copy it.

A PIRATICAL conspiracy was discovered on board the George Cromwell plying between New York and New Orleans on her last trip. A few arrests squelched the affair.

EIGHTY-SIX men were mustered in at the Fort yesterday.

—The "Conservative chaps" in session at Philadelphia have endorsed McClellan's nomination, and added Ex-Governor W. B. Campbell, of Tennessee, as Vice President.

—The Sanitary Fair at Boston is reported to have produced the almost incredible sum of $140,000.

There is a rumor that Longstreet has reinforced Lee and the latter has crossed the Rapidan, compelling Meade to fall back. As the latest authentic advices left Longstreet in Tennessee there is probably no truth in this story.

—The latest curiosity that has turned up in Louisville, is a negro of strong rebel proclivities. He was arrested on Friday for hurrahing for Jeff. Davis on the streets. He asserts boldly that he is an ardent admirer of Jeff. Davis and the rebel cause. He was consigned to the Military prison, and will be properly disposed of in a few days.

—A magician, Professor Love, lately exhibiting in Norwich, Connecticut, advertised that he would "cause the mysterious disappearances of a young lady," and kept his promise by running off with another man's wife. The pair have since been captured.

—After the Union boys took Lookout Mountain, a rebel soldier who had concealed himself, came out of his hiding-place, mounted a large rock, threw off his hat and coat, and shaking himself like a chicken freed from damp confinement, exclaimed, "How are *you* Southern Confederacy?"

—A few months ago Mr. Balcam, principle of the Middletown (Connecticut) high school, expelled from the school a son of Samuel Babcock—a Democrat of the Copperhead stripe—for insisting upon wearing a copperhead badge, by order of his father, against the rule of the school. The father brought a suit against the teacher, and a justice imposed a fine upon him, but the case was carried up, and the Supreme Court has lately reversed the decision.

A Word to the Churches.

To the Editors of the St. Paul Press:

MY DEAR BRETHREN AND SISTERS: The matter of keeping up the financial concerns of a church is a very perplexing one to many of you, and the more so now when money is so plenty and so much is needed to keep up with the present extravagant spirit of the day. The minister's salaries have fallen off fifty per cent. by reason of the rise of gold, and ought to be raised accordingly. Church debts need to be paid, and various expenditures are rendered necessary every year in order to keep Church buildings in proper condition. Suffer me then to make a suggestion as to the best mode of raising the wind, if I may be permitted, on such a solemn subject, to use a phrase so often in the mouth of sinners. The way to do it is to get up a *Church* festival. I do not mean one of those old stupid festivals such as we used to have in St. Paul before the conversion of some of our oldest citizens. At those the ladies used to give us a splendid supper for a dollar, and sell us beautiful articles of their own make for about what they were worth. The most stupid Christian can see that this is not the way to raise the wind.

But still give the supper at still a lower price, that is not much here nor there; but for your profit rely upon the *lottery* or some other game of chance. This will save the ladies a world of trouble. Any of our merchants, jewelers, or manufactures, will let us have articles for prizes at reasonable rates; sell tickets for these to twice their value, or even a greater number, for only one will draw the prize, and it is no more harm for a hundred to draw blank than for fifty. Thus you see that a few valuable prizes may bring in a very handsome sum.

As the plan proposed is *comparatively novel here in St. Paul*, though long practised by churches in other parts of the world, suffer me to name some of the advantages that might be expected to arise from its adoption.

1. It would attract many persons who would not else attend the festival; young people particularly boys are greatly taken with the idea of drawing a prize worth a hundred dollars with a ticket that cost them only one dollar.

2. It would inspire hopes in the heart of every one who had taken a chance, that would make him happy at least until the prize was drawn.

3. Think how happy it would make the youth who for his dollar should carry off the prize to be to him a monument of his good luck during the remainder of his *natural life*.

4. It would cultivate in the minds of the young, a taste for investing in lottery tickets, and afford them an opportunity of indulging it under *religious influences*, and thus secure them against the temptations to gamble out side of the church. *Let us provide amusements for the children of the church within her pale.*

But my dear brother you tell me gambling and lotteries are against the law! Do you forget that that law was made for sinners who gamble for their own private ends? What judge of a court would be so stupid as to think that his oath of office required him to prosecute a *church* for gambling? Remember we live in an age of liberal christianity, and if we would have money we must be wise as *serpents*. I see nothing in the way of the proposed plan, but religion, and the less the church has to do with that, the more people will join her. Z.

THE Washington *Chronicle* of a recent date contains the following "good one:"

A UNITED STATES SENATOR SPEAKING RUSSIAN.—When the grand Senatorial, Representative, diplomatic, fashionable and aristocratic *cortege* visited the Russian fleet off Alexandria on Saturday last, and enjoyed the festivities of the Muscovite dignitaries, there was but one thing that marred the hilarity, even it added to the novelty, of that memorable occasion. The ladies smiled, the statesman bowed, the politicians watched, the reporters took notes. Except, we believe, that finished scholor, and accomplished diplomat, Baron Stoeckl, not one of the Russians could speak without an interpreter to the brilliant circle so sumptuously entertained by Admiral Lisovski. Hence the conversation was, in a great degree, confined to the Americans among themselves and to the rough and rugged sea-dogs among themselves. In the midst of this curious spectacle, however, what was the amazement and the envy on both sides when a very eminent newly-elected Senator of the United States was noticed in very close and animated conversation with one of the seamen. A group gathered around. The Russians listened with delight—the Americans with ill-concealed derision, for they had made up their minds that the art of speaking the Russian language was confined to the Russians themselves. Cooly and deliberately our senatorial linguist passed from one to the other, and it soon became apparent that he he was not only understood by the strangers, but was a most welcome friend. After holding a very pleasant colloquy with the officers and men, the mystery was suddenly revealed, amidst shouts of laughter, that the Senator, who was neither more nor less than Hon. Alexander Ramsey, of Minnesota, *was talking Dutch, or rather German, (a language which is very generally spoken and understood by the Russian people,)* and which he acquired in Dauphin county, Pennsylvania, among his Dutch or German ancestors and associates.

The Officers of the Harriet Lane—Some of them Arrived at Vicksburg.

We find the following in the Boston *Traveller* of the 22d inst.:

A letter received in this city from an officer of the Harriet Lane, dated at Vicksburg a fortnight since, says that on the 16th of November orders came to Camp Grove, in Texas, for the parolling of the Union prisoners there, who were to join a similar one from another place of confinement, and to be marched off to Shreveport, on their route to the Mississippi river. The distance from Camp Grove to Shreveport is about two hundred and fifty miles—Camp Grove being near Austin.

But two days afterward an order came from General Magruder, directing that the four officers of the Harriet Lane, viz: acting-master Charles H. Hamilton, the lieutenant and the two engineers, should be detached from the rest, allowed sixty pounds of baggage each, and be sent to Vicksburg by themselves by another and more direct route. This was done, and they bade adieu to the other prisoners, 300 in number, and traveling, partly on foot and partly by rail, reached Monroe, a hundred miles from Vicksburg. Here they waited four days for an escort, and finally arrived safely at Vicksburg. On the latter section of their route they found all the bridges down, having been destroyed by the Union troops some time ago. It was uncertain whether they would come east by way of Cairo, or by New Orleans and ocean steamers.

Nothing is said of prisoners left behind. At last accounts, several months ago, the prisoners in Austin county included Colonel Burrill, and ten officers and nine men of the Forty-second Massachusetts, the latter of whom had been unable to travel when the other privates were sent home in September or October; eighty men of the gunboat Harriet Lane, captured at Galveston; one hundred and one men and officers of the gunboat Morning Light, captured at Sabine Pass; men and officers of the gunboats Sachem and Clifton; and many others of whose place of surrender we are not cognizant.

The three hundred and ninety prisoners mentioned will have, altogether, a march of between five hundred and six hundred miles, probably more, unless the rebels choose to despatch them by rail part of the way. It is uncertain, too, at what point they will arrive, so that tidings of them could hardly be expected before this time, and may not reach us for a week or two to come.

Wendell Phillips on the Policy of President Lincoln.

A large and select audience assembled last night to hear Wendell Phillips's address on the message and amnesty proclamation of the President. Mr. Phillips said that the masses had a right to take that proclamation of the government as embodying admissible and safe conditions of reconstruction. Mr. Phillips expressed here no opinion of his own, but spoke of the President as a "growing man." All honor to the recipient intellect which lives to learn and grow better? But how did he learn and why did he grow? Mr. Phillips answered: We watered him. Why did he advance? The nation pushed him on. Mr. Phillips spoke of the "exasperation of battle," the "bloody months," as causes of the change. He referred to the "drifting" of the President, who was not a leader but a servant of the people. There were two kinds of men in statesmanship; one to which Mr. Lincoln belonged; the other class moulded the people. To the latter Andrew Jackson, B. F. Butler and John C. Fremont belonged. And Mr. Phillips believed that if men like these had presided over the nation in 1861 the war would have been finished in two years, with all the advantages that we shall get out of a war of five years

Mr. Phillips was not satisfied with the proclamation of freedom to the negroes. It was insufficient for its purpose. Nobody knows its meaning until the Supreme Court has decided it; in other words, the "proclamation is to be filtered through the secession heart of a man [Taney] whose body is in Baltimore, but whose soul, if he has one, is in Richmond. It is to pass the ordeal of judges the majority of whom came out of the wickedness of Polk, Pierce and Buchanan; and of the only two who refused to sanction the Dred Scott decision, one is in his grave and the other has resigned." What Mr. Phillips wanted was an amendment to the constitution, which Mr. Lincoln's advice to Congress would pass in sixty days, that hereafter there should be neither slavery nor servitude in any state of this Union.

Mr. Phillips's opinion of the Amnesty Proclamation was, that it gives to the old slaveholders, under disguise of landholders, the powers of the state, which would be full of evil. Mr. Phillips would put the lands into the hands of the white men and negroes who had fought for them. The proclamation embroils our future and cripples our resources.

Many subjects not here mentioned were referred to in the address. Mr. Phillips thought that Butler or Fremont ought to be next President, and he concludes by saying that until such consummation no man, in justice to himself, his children, the negro or the Union, can give rest to his eyelids or silence to his lips.

Horace Greeley was called and responded, saying that the time for President making had not come.

The meeting adjourned with cheers for Mr. Lincoln.—*Eve. Post, 23d.*

General Burnside's Farewell.

[General Field Orders, No. 38.]

HEADQUARTERS ARMY OF THE OHIO, Knoxville, Tenn., December 11, 1863.—In obedience to orders from the War Department the commanding general this day resigns to Major General John G. Foster the command of the army of the Ohio.

On severing the tie which has bound him to this gallant army, he cannot express his deep personal feeling at parting from men brought near to him by their mutual experiences in the eventful scenes of the past campaign, and who have always, regardless of every privation and of every danger, cheerfully and faithfully performed their duty. Associated with many of their number from the earliest days of the war, he takes leave of the army not only as soldiers to whose heroism many a victorious battle-field bears witness, but as well-tried friends, who in the darkest hours have never failed him. With the sincerest regret he leaves the Department without the opportunity of personally bidding them farewell.

To the citizen soldiers of East Tennessee who proved their loyalty in the trenches of Knoxville, he tenders his warmest thanks.

With the highest confidence in the patriotism and skill of the distinguished officer who succeeds him, with whom he has been long and intimately connected in the field, and who will be welcomed as their leader by those who served with him in the memorable campaign in North Carolina, and by all as one identified with some of the most brilliant events of the war, he transfers to him the command, assured that under his guidance the bright record of the Army of the Ohio will never grow dim.

By command of Maj.-Gen. Burnside.

LEWIS RICHMOND, A. A. G.

—According to the New York *Herald's* London correspondence, the Southern Confederacy bonds are "falling every day, and the cause now is given up by all, except now and then a desperate speculator or creditor of rebels."

—There is a child in Lyme, Connecticut, who has lived several months under the incubus of the name of Jefferson Davis Beauregard Jesse T. Bright Bill, Its parents ought to be convicted of infanticide.

—The Stetsons of the Astor House, New York, lately sent in a bill to the New York, alderman of $36,000 for dinners furnished to returned soldiers, and $3,759 for a Russian dinner.

—The Buffalo *Express*, "on good authority," denies that any committee of the Loyal League Convention visted the President; that any such committee was appointed or that any disposition was manifested to intrude its counsel upon Mr. Lincoln, or to intermeddle, in any, with his measures and policy.

Headquarters, District of Minnesota, Department of the Northwest.

SAINT PAUL, MINNESOTA, December 28th, 1863.

[GENERAL ORDERS, NO. 73.]

The following extracts from General Orders No. 13, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, February 11th, 1862, are published for the information of all concerned.

The enormous waste, by the officers to whose case they are sent, of the blank forms issued from this office, calls for some prompt correction. With this view, the following regulations have been adopted, and will be strictly enforced:

I. Hereafter all requisitions for books or blanks supplied from this office, must be addressed, through Regimental and Brigade Headquarters in each Division, to the Assistant Adjutant General at Division Headquarters, who will, himself, from time to time make general requisitions on this office for the supply of his Division.

II. Every commanding officer of a Company will, henceforth, keep a regular account of all books and blanks received and expended by him for the use of his Company and make a quarterly return of the same to the Adjutant of his Regiment. These returns will be consolidated with those of the Regimental Headquarters, and forwarded in this shape by the Adjutant, through Brigade Headquarters to those of the Division. The Assistant Adjutant General at Division Headquarters will make similar returns to this office of the books and blanks, received by him for distribution to his Division.

III. Where troops are not brigaded, as some times happens with the cavalry and artillery, requisitions for books and blanks will be made upon the chiefs of their respective arms in the Army to which they are attached, and returns will be made to these officers as though to Division Headquarters, and the Chiefs of Cavalry and Artillery in such cases, will make requisitions for the books and blanks needed for their commands, and make returns of the same to this office, as prescribed in Paragraph II. of this order.

By command of BRIGADIER GENERAL H. H. SIBLEY.

R. C. OLIN, Assistant Adjutant General.

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New Advertisements.

AUCTION SALE.

FURNITURE AND BOOKS.

R. & J. M. WARNER, will sell at their store, corner Third and Wabashaw-sts, Wednesday, 30th Dec., at 10 o'clock A. M., a lot of Household Goods, consisting of Stoves, Tables, Bureaus, Carpets, &c., at 11 o'clock a lot of Law and Miscellaneous Books, belonging to the Estate of Judge Lambert. dec29 2t

CORRESPONDENCE WANTED.

A respectable young gentleman of this city wishes to form the acquaintance of some intelligent and respectable young lady with a view to matrimony. Cartes de Visite exchanged. Address, CHARLES DE FOREST, St. Paul. dec29-1t

GOOD NEWS.

Just received by express, another lot of

Kerosene Craters,

Will warm food for the Baby, make teas and hot drinks for the sick, will cook a few eggs, &c., for the "Hearty," adjustable to any Lamp, and only 25c each—worth a trial.

Also, received a fresh supply of

Glass Cones,

Will fit any Lamp, saves half the Oil, and is free from that unpleasant oder caused by the brass Cones. Costs but 15c.

A GOOD THING JUST OUT,

The No Chimney Burner,

The best ever before offered to the public, free from smoke, will fit any Lamp, and only 35 cents each.

500 DOZEN EXTRA ANNEALED CHIMNEYS

in store and for sale at Eastern prices.

All other Goods pertaining to the trade in endless variety, for sale low, at THE ST. PAUL LAMP STORE, Third street, opposite the Pioneer Office. dec29-1w

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COOLEY, CARVER & CO.,

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are prepared to offer DECIDED INDUCEMENTS to cash buyers. Call and see.

Cooley, Carver & Co.

Have now in store the largest and most attractive stock of GROCERIES west of Chicago. An inspection and comparison of stocks will satisfy you that "these things are so." For sale to the trade only.

Cooley, Carver & Co.

Offer to the trade a stock of LIQUORS, complete in all its appointments, and the

LARGEST IN THE STATE.

We mean it.

Cooley, Carver & Co.

Are sole proprietors of the unrivalled "Clover Leaf," Bourbon, and "Connoisseurs' Favorite" Rye Whiskeys. These goods

Cannot be Excelled.

Try them.

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Have just received an invoice, including—

SCOTCH WHISKEY, (Ramsay's genuine.)
IRISH WHISKEY, (Mehan's genuine.)
ST. CROIX RUM, (very choice.)
TULIP GIN, (the finest imp'ted.)
BRANDIES, "United Proprietors."
BRANDIES, "Otard, Du Pay & Co."
SHERRY WINES, (Harmony Brand.)

These Goods are direct from CUSTOM HOUSE and we GUARANTY THEIR PURITY. Try them

COOLEY, CARVER & CO.,

HAVE PEACH BRANDY,
APPLE DO.,
CHERRY DO.,
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BLACKBERRY DO.,
RASPBERRY DO.,

These Brandies are *DISTILLED FROM THE FRUIT*, and are very fine.

MEDFORD RUM, (it is very fine.)

COOLEY, CARVER & CO.,

Have 500 cases FRESH FRUITS, including—

PEACHES,
STRAWBERRIES,
BLACKBERRIES,
RASPBERRIES,
PINE APPLE, &c., &c.,

All of established brand, and warranted the best.

COOLEY, CARVER & CO.,

Have

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ASSORTED AND FAVORITE BRANDS.

We Cannot be Undersold.

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NO. 1 CARBON OIL,

For sale low, wholesale and retail to close consignment, at

The St. Paul Lamp Store,

dec3-tf Opposite Pioneer Office.

FOR SALE.—A yoke of Oxen suitable for the Pineries. Enquire of G. N. BEMAN & CO., Corner Roberts and 5th-sts.

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The Great Prize Fight.

Fuller Details of the Affair.

What the English Papers Say.

From Bell's Life.

The long talked of battle of "the giants" came off on Thursday, the 10th inst., at a capital spot southeastward, under as brilliant circumstances, both as regards weather and travelling arrangements, as could possibly be desired. The sun shone beautifully the whole day, the company was exceedingly select and there was not the slightest appearance of interruption from the moment of handing to that of departure. Gentle and simple and noble, and plain were present in large numbers—over one thousand. The appearance of that great audience on one of the Sussex hills, as exponents and supporters of thorough English manly pluck and bottom all over the world, brought back, as if upon the stage of history, the traditional glories of the sunlit days of the ring—glories which we trust have not altogether departed, but which, judging from the well fought contest and well conducted business of Thursday, may again shine upon this yearning generation of ours.

On arrival at the station a few minutes before five in the morning, we found the "rasping" division had dwindled away to an insignificant few. The fact is, the busy tongue of Madam Rumor had sent them so often to various stations on the Will-o'-the Wisp errand that they were completely tired out, and after the lesson of Tuesday and Wednesday night, without anything turning up, they blew up the whole affair, and quietly stayed at home. Never was a secret of such a kind better kept, and the wide awakes who "knew the exact spot to a yard" found themselves neck deep in the mire after a fashion they little calculated on. The train consisted of thirty carriages, in each of which, to use a theatrical phrase, there was no standing room. We were "horsed" by two powerful engines, and about a quarter past six glided out of the station without the least confusion, and with the greatest regularity in the world.

After a pleasant trip, we at length drew up in a secluded and well selected spot, where we got out, yawned, stretched ourselves, and gulped in the sharp morning air most voraciously. On account of the extreme softness of the ground, it was some time before a decent place could be found. At this hour, about a quarter past nine o'clock, the sun shining out as magnificently as on a fine May morning, and as we toiled some mile and a half up a steep, craggy hill, the "stuff" was taken out of many.

At length a chosen spot was taken possession of, and the ring pitched. King first tossed in his castor, amid loud cheers, immediately followed by Heenan, who was similarly received. Colors were now unfolded on both sides, and the combatants began to dress. Choice of ground won by Heenan, and then came the referee; some wrangling took place about that functionary, betting going on with offers at 40 to 20, &c., on Heenan, without takers. Confusion now became the ruling element, wasting away precious time on the top of a hill that could be seen for twenty miles around. There were the men and seconds ready, while the referee was expected to come from the clouds. Three-quarters of an hour were spent in this way before matters were finally closed, and the referee originally proposed was ultimately agreed to. The men then began the important duty of the toilet, and in the hands of their respective valets the operation was soon completed. The ring was then cleared, and the men showed themselves ready for battle array. Heenan was the first to exhibit, amid the loud cheers of his admirers, instantly followed by King, for whom another salvo arose from the throats of his party. Exactly at ten o'clock the men were delivered at the scratch, shook hands and prepared to commence.

The details of the rounds as given by *Bell's Life*, were sent by telegraph and we accordingly quote from the Illustrated *Sporting News* whose account is the fullest that has yet appeared in this country:

THE ILLUSTRATED SPORTING NEWS' ACCOUNT.

ROUND 1.—King tried his right, but the other was away with great agility. Heenan rushed in and got the other's head in chancery, and fibbed merrily till he fell on him, King vainly endeavoring to extricate himself; and these tactics of the Boy evidently showed the line of policy he intended to adopt. King's return was but short and inoffensive with his right on the back.

This preliminary round was decidedly in favor of the American, and there was a perfect ovation at his corner.

ROUND 2.—King got on first with his right on right jowl, and the exchanges were of the most rapid character. King delivered another stinger on the cheek. Then Heenan retaliated by a severe counter with his left, giving a smack upon the "ivories." Fighting fast and furious, and eventually Heenan, by sheer dint of strength, threw his adversary.

ROUND 3.—Heenan followed his man to the middle ropes, clutched his right arm round his opponent's head, twirled him over in King's own corner with but very little brief exchanges.

ROUND 4.—Heenan up first and smiling. King doing exchanges to a close, when both were down, King underneath. The appearance of matters at this early stage of proceedings indicated that the Stars and Stripes had all the best of it, notwithstanding King stood so gallantly to his task as to give every encouragement to his backers, who rallied around him in goodly numbers.

ROUND 5.—King let fly a tremendous hit with his right on the jaw. He seemed quite elated, and kept to outfighting, and danced around, repeating another with the same success, amidst the tremendous cheers of his friends. They then rushed to the corner, when Heenan put on the hug again and threw his man as easy as a glove.

ROUND 6.—They were no sooner up than both were at work. Rapid deliveries followed on both sides, when Heenan threw his man with just such similar ease as in the preceding round.

ROUND 7.—Both countered straight on the dial, when Heenan got his hand round King's head and cast him to earth. Another burster.

ROUND 8.—Both advanced eagerly to work, with not the slightest desire to shirk business. King was first to lead off, played with his left till he got correct measure, when he let fly his dexter fin on the mouthpiece, and fetched first blood. Heenan would not be denied, and slashed away with his right until he succeeded in getting his hug on again, and eventually bore King down. East End patrons were in ecstacies at their man's conduct.

ROUND 9 was very brief. King once more planted his left upon the "jaw," while Heenan delivered his right with marked precision and dash on point of nose and mouth, which made Tom stand back for a moment, although he never suffered his courage to be daunted, and resolutely went to close quarters, but got thrown, as Heenan was best in wrestling propensities.

ROUND 10.—The men had been fighting very fast, and were evidently blowing, Heenan bleeding at the mouth, and had clearly copped one on the left peeper, to the disparagement of the American's vision. King also showed cochineal from his lips. Heenan shot out with his right, and did not appear to do any damage. They then closed, King reaching his adversary's ribs with his left, but was cast to the greensward in the end.

ROUND 11.—Neither seemed for delay and got at work rapidly. As before, King landed a severe shot with his right on the mouth and drew a copious supply of red wine. Heenan bore his man to the middle stake, but King got a grasp on him and this time the Eastender had all the best of it and threw Heenan severely; the American decidedly getting weaker and slower.

ROUNDS 12, 13 and 14 were very short; scarcely any blows given, for Heenan hugged his man and threw him each time.

ROUND 15.—King nursed his right and nailed it on the chin; instanter Tom caught him by the crutch and ran his man to earth under the ropes, for which he was cautioned by the referee.

ROUND 16.—A tolerably good amount of work done, in which King cut his opponent's right eye, and the round was finished by a heavy blow from Heenan, which made the sailor stagger back, and the ground being slippery he fell down.

ROUND 17.—Heenan's fast fighting and throwing now began to tell its own tale upon himself, and he came up piping though smiling. Nobbers were exchanged, and some blows, and in the end King was again thrown.

ROUND 18.—King now led off, and visited the damaged eye, and also got on the cheek, which riled the Benicia Boy, who gave him a stinger on the head, closed and threw him so heavily it was thought he was out of time, and it took his seconds some time before they could get him round again.

[Here the Kingites broke into the ring, and the remainder of the fight was carried on amidst much disorder. In the confusion we missed the two succeeding rounds; but they were very short and in favor of Heenan. King soon recovered, and immediately afterwards turned the tide of fortune in his favor, Heenan rapidly and suddenly getting weak.]

ROUND 21.—By the advice of his seconds, King led off, and planted well on the damaged eye, also on the nose, fetching more blood from both places. Heenan's returns were short, and King at once closed with him and threw him—a regular burster.

ROUND 22.—Again did King get well home on the nasal organ and right peeper, and, receiving it in the ribs, closed and threw Heenan.

ROUND 23.—Heenan came up quite groggy and his heart seemed to be failing him, for when King once more planted a straight one on the mouth he appeared quite perplexed and helpless. He tried to plant his left, but did not reach. After some sharp in-fighting he was again flung heavily to mother earth, and, when picked up was nearly senseless.

ROUND 24.—No sooner were they at the scratch than King again visited the mug, and knocked the "Boy" clear off his pins.

ROUND 25—and last—Sayers soused Heenan well with cold water, and got him once more to face King; but the latter again planted on the mouth, and flung him almost senseless to the ground. This was a settler, for when Heenan tried to leave his corneer for another round he was as helpless as a child, and amidst shouts of "Shame! shame!" to allow him to come up again, Macdonald gave in for him.

The "Boy" was seconded by Tom Sayers and Johnny Macdonald, and King by Jerry Noon and Bos Tyler.

THE BETTING BEFORE THE FIGHT.

The bets on the result of the fight surpassed in their number and amount any ever made on any like occasion.

HEENAN'S ARRIVAL IN LONDON—HIS WOUNDS AND APPEARANCE.

On the arrival of Heenan in London he received the best medical assistance, and although his bruises and contusions were found to be very severe, none of his bones were broken and he had received no internal injury. His head exhibited a most ghastly appearance; his old lip wound had re-opened, and his eyes were nearly closed.

Proclamation of the Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, SAINT PAUL, NOV. 21, 1863.

To aid our soldiers in the field, and to hasten the termination of civil war, the President of the United States has by Proclamation of the 17th October ult., called for 300,000 volunteers to serve for a term not exceeding three years.

Under this call Minnesota will be required to furnish for its quota at least three thousand men.

The Proclamation of the President assures us, that, if this quota is not raised before the 5th day of January next, "the draft shall commence" on that day.

In addition to this, we owe under the late call for 20 per cent. of the first class of enrolled national forces 1,207 men.

The Secretary of War has authorized us to cancel this debt by raising a Regiment of Cavalry, which it is understood shall be employed in the frontier service so long as it shall be necessary to protect us against the incursions of hostile savages.

The slow progress which has been already made in filling this regiment, imperatively necessary for the protection of lives and property on our border, gives faint hope of success in raising the number requisite to avoid a draft.

If in addition to the fact that this regiment is to be used in our own service and to provide for the security of our own families, it is necessary to offer further inducements to enlist, I recommend that the several counties and townships of the State pay such bounties as may be required to secure speedy enlistments in the Second Cavalry Regiment.

It should be a matter of State pride to fill this regiment at an early day.

The bounty offered by Government is $102 for each recruit, and the State authorities will endeavor to have it increased to $302, the amount offered to those enlisting in the old regiments.

Whether this application is successful or not, there should be no delay in supplying a force necessary for the safety and prosperity of our State, to be paid and supported by the National Government.

The present call for 300,000 men is intended especially to fill the ranks of decimated regiments now in the field.

We have in this State about 30,000 men enrolled as State Militia. If the energy and enthusiasm heretofore manifested by the people of this State still live, we can easily furnish the number required from us to end this terrible war, amounting only to one in ten of our State troops.

The bounty offered by the Government is munificent, and sufficient to enable men in any condition of life to devote themselves to the work.

It is not probable that the war will last for two years, and $402 bounty to veterans and $302 to new recruits, besides the regular pay and rations is as much as laboring men can expect to realize in the pursuit of any ordinary branch of industry.

But there are higher motives to induce our people to respond heartily and promptly to the demands of the Government.

Peace can only come as the result of victory over the rebels in arms. We have the power, the men and munitions, to win the victory. The more readily we furnish them, the earlier will be the end of the struggle.

Our regiments now in the field have shed an immortal lustre upon our State. History furnishes no parallel to their heroic achievements, and in whatever portion of the Union a citizen of Minnesota may go, he feels himself surrounded with the glory they have won.

Now, on the very eve of final victory, the patriotic people of this State will not leave them with their thinned ranks, to fight this battle alone.

Such a war "costs treasure and blood," but its speedy and triumphant conclusion "will richly compensate for both."

An effort is being made to have each township in the State credited with the number of men it has heretofore furnished, or may furnish, for the service.

The result will be made public as soon as it is known, by this Department.

The time for action in this matter is very short, and I ask the people of Minnesota to use every influence that patriotism or money can exert, to sustain her proud position, and save her from the impending draft.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the State to be affixed, at St. Paul, this L. S. 21st day of November, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

HENRY A. SWIFT.

MONETARY!

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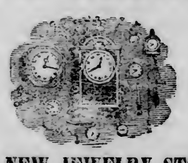

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NEWS ITEMS.

—The speech of the French Emperor was telegraphed to the principal cities in Europe in one hour and a quarter. It contained two thousand and forty-four words.

—Rev. Theodore J. Holmes, late pastor of the Congregational Church, Hartford, Conn., has enlisted as a private in the 21st regiment, been sworn in, uniformed, and sent into camp at New Haven.

—There is an American railway-car line in operation between the Place de la Concorde, Paris and Sevres. One of the cars recently "collided" with a carriage in which were Prince Napoleon and his wife, and they were both slightly injured. Their own vehicle was destroyed and they had to get home the best way they could in a cab.

—General Burnside and staff passed through the city on Saturday *en route* for New York. They went East by the Atlantic and Great Western Railway. T. W. Kennedy, Esq., the General Manager of the Company, very handsomely tendered the party the use of his elegant private carriage to take them through to New York city.—*Cleveland Herald* 21st.

—Adjutant General Thomas has returned to his department here. He reports during his absence his organization of 35,000 negro soldiers, and says that before spring there will be 90,000 well armed and drilled negro soldiers in the field. He has a high estimation of their value as soldiers.

—Governor Seymour's oft-repeated objurgation of the undue preponderance obtained by Massachusetts and other Eastern States at the formation of the Federal Constitution, by virtue of the equality of Senatorial representation, has been summarily answered by a quotation from Alexander Hamilton, showing that New York was not then a first class State, and was, therefore, a gainer by the "compromise." At that time Virginia was the most populous State; next was Massachusetts, and then Pennsylvania. The statesmen of Massachusetts were generous to New York in the convention of 1787; and Governor Seymour is, therefore, ungrateful as well as inaccurate.

—Joe Johnston has succeeded to the command of the rebel Tennessee army, and Bragg takes a lower seat, becoming his Chief of Staff.

—Over fifty Members of Congress have signed a request for the removal of Blair from the Cabinet.

—General Corcoran came to his death by being thrown from his horse near Langston Station, resulting in a fracture of his skull. Death ensued in a few hours after. Being a good horseman, it is supposed by his friends he may have had an attack of appoplexy. He was embalmed and sent home.

—Mr. William Dennison, father of ex-Governor Dennison, of Ohio, and one of the oldest settlers in the Miami Valley, died at Columbus, in that State, on the 20th inst., in the 84th year of his age. He was a native of New Jersey, having been born near Long Branch.

—During the last three months ten thousand five hundred horses have been purchased in Chicago for the Government; of these seven thousand four hundred and thirty were sent to Washington. The price paid in Chicago was $120, and the expenses of transportation to Washington were $14 each.

—The traitors of the South acknowledge that unless they can accomplish a loan and a conscription by April, their cause is lost. The loan must be for one thousand millions of dollars, and the draft of all males between the ages of fifteen and forty-five, and not less than half a million will meet the emergency. With a currency worth only seven or eight cents on the dollar, and an exhausted population, how can the rebels hope to escape the ruin impending over them? The handwriting is on the wall.

—The late King of Denmark divorced two wives who did not suit him, and married morganatically and afterwards ceremoniously Mademoiselle Louisa Christiana Rasmussen, a liberal like himself. This lady had previously been a governess, a ballet dancer and a milliner. She had a large stock of common sense, however, and when elevated to the rank of Queen, in 1850, gained the good will and respect of the Danes.

—Prentice of the Louisville *Journal* says there is a lake in Minnesota called Minnetonka, which must be very clear and very deep, for a strange genius in describing it says by looking into it you can see them making tea in China.

—"A little more grape," said Gen. Taylor to Capt. Bragg at the battle of Buena Vista. Capt. Bragg has had grape enough *Granted* him.

—The members of the press in Washington gave Speaker Colfax a complimentary dinner last week at which thirty were present. They were connected with the prominent journals of the country, and were of various political opinions. It was a pleasant and harmonious gathering. Samuel Wilkinson presided, and at the conclusion of his remarks proposed a sentiment which elicited from Colfax a brief, appropriate, eloquent and patriotic speech, in which he said the House of Representatives had chosen newspaper men for Speaker, Clerk and Postmaster, a good share for the profession, and in the Senate it was nearly the same way. Vice President's Sec'y, Forney, and Sergeant at Arms, Brown, coming for the highest honors.

—While President Lincoln was confined to his House with the varioloid, some friends called to sympathize with him, especially on the character of his disease. "Yes," he said, "it is a bad disease, but it has its advantages. For the first time since I have been in office, I have something now to *give* to everybody that calls."

—The New York saloon keepers have agreed on the following scale of prices: brandy, 10 to 15 cents a glass; gin, rum and whiskey, 10 cents; inferior quality, 6 to 10 cents; good ale and porter (bottled) 5 cents; ale, 10 to 12 cents a quart. These prices are to be charged on and after Monday next.

—The Montreal *Transcript* says that the Cathedral organists of Toronto, Montreal and Quebec, purpose making a tour in the States, during the Christmas vacation. The principal source of attraction being the large organ recently erected in the Boston Music Hall.

— Quite a stir has been made in Cincinnati growing out of the action of a member of one of the Sanitary Fair Committees in writing to Vallandigham for his autograph. The committees and citizens consider it an insult, and are determined that the autograph of a traitor shall never appear in any way connected with the noble cause in which they are engaged.

—The managers of the Sanitary Fair which is being held in Cincinnati having addressed "Timothy Titcomb" asking his autograph to sell at the Fair, received the following reply:

DEAR SIR—Your letter, directed to my home, in Massachusetts finds me in your State. You are more than welcome to my name, in aid of your best of good enterprises. I hope it will sell for something handsome. If it should prove to be valuable, it might help me at the banks, at home, where according to my recollection, the idea of its value has not been as vivid as I could wish. If it should sell high, perhaps you had better communicate the fact to the Mercantile Agency in New York; if low, why—lie low, and say nothing about it. Yours, very truly,

J. G. HOLLAND.

—Senator Reverdy Johnson's manly speech on the President's policy has created a decided sensation. Let it be borne in mind that a Senator from Maryland declared: "I would see the institution of slavery arrested at once, let the country be subjected to all the calamities which I think would flow from the abolition of the institution in all these States for a time, *rather than see this rebellion live an hour longer.*"

Intercepted Rebel Correspondence.

THE WILMINGTON BLOCKADE DISASTROUS.

Blockade Runners' Facilities at New York.

PLAN TO SUPPLY THE REBEL ARMY THROUGH MATAMORAS.

Napoleon's Protection to the Trade Guaranteed.

The intercepted private correspondence of the rebel agent C. A. L. Lamar, found on board the prize steamer Ceres, furnishes abundant evidence that the blockade of the port of Wilmington is not so inefficient as the rebels and their English friends have loudly proclaimed it to be. At brief intervals during the past six months the English and colonial journals with all the secessionists on both sides of the water joining in the cry, have spread reports of the successes of blockade-runners at Wilmington, insisting that the South received important supplies through that channel, and that the venture was safe and profitable. Indeed, a recent despatch received by way of Richmond, announced that as many as thirteen steamers had arrived, and that Wilmington was glutted with marketable goods. Now, however, the real state of the case appears. Mr. Lamar's correspondents, who should be in a rejoicing frame of mind if rebel reports were true, tell a sorry story of discomfiture and loss.

Under date of Liverpool, October 19. J. N. Maffit, late captain of the pirate Florida, apprises Lamar that "the news from the blockade runners is decidedly bad;" that "six of the last boats have recently been caught," and that "nothing has entered Wilmington for one month"—this, too, in the best season of the year for maritime adventures. So lately as the 2d of December a British agent of the rebels, one Campbell, wrote from Bermuda to a house in Charleston that the Wilmington business was extremely dull; "the only boats that had come in from Wilmington in a month were the Flora and Gibraltar." For the gratification of his superiors, however, this zealous Englishman added that several more blockade-runners were "expected from England," to try their luck

Frank Smith writing from St. George, Bermuda, Dec. 2d, to Henry Hart at Wilmington, says, "I have facilities for getting almost everything from New York." Probably by means of Fernando Wood, who was recently implicated in this trade by captured correspondence.

FRENCH EMPEROR CONSENTS TO MATAMORAS TRADE.

No. 19 RUE DE PENTHIEVE,
PARIS, Oct. 10, 1863.

MY DEAR SIR AND FRIEND: I have telegraphed to Sanders yesterday, that my friend was ready to execute his contract, provided the cotton was surely delivered in Matamoras. *I have also stated to him that the protection of the Emperor was obtained*, which would allow the goods to enter that port, and the cotton to issue therefrom, without the slightest difficulty.

My friend is very uneasy lest the contract should be executed in England; he is very anxious to take hold of it, not only because he believes it to be a profitable one, *but also because he has seen the Emperor in person*, and would not like the Emperor to suppose that he he had been fooled in the matter. This, of course, would enable us to get from him the terms which I have mentioned, which terms, of course, need not be mentioned to S. or Ch.

A very strong argument to use with these parties is that by our combination they get a protection which Lord Russell would never extend to the English merchants, and which makes the whole business a safe one—just as much so as though we were in time of peace.

Should you share my opinion, try to convince them; hurry them on to Paris, for delay and procrastination might prove fatal to our plans. Let me know whether you are always disposed to advance, what sum, and how I would be able to get it, either by drawing on you, or by remitting it to me. So soon as I hear something definite upon this subject, I would go to work, close his matter here with all parties, and then proceed to London to help you through the other matter.

For God sake lose no time and answer me fully, and telegraph me whether the parties are forthcoming.

PECQUET DU BELLEY.

THE FRENCH EMPEROR WILL AID THE PROJECT IF IT CAN BE KEPT SECRET.

Col. C. A. P. Lamar:

No. 19.—RUE DE PENTHIEVE, PARIS, Oct. 14, 1863.—*Dear Sir and Friend:* My friend has seen the Emperor during the evening. He is authorized to proceed at once with the business, and is promised the full protection of the French flag. The only condition imposed by the Emperor is that the operation shall be kept in profound secresy. On this side of the channel we are ready to treat. Hurry your party, settle with him, address him to me with a copy of his engagements, and impress upon him the necessity of being mute upon the object of his visit here. Business of that kind can gain nothing by delay.

I was disappointed not to have received some news about your interview of yesterday.

Push ahead and let me know what position I am to assume toward my other correspondent. Yours sincerely,

PECQUET DU BELLEY.

Report of Gen. Averill's Expedition.

Gen. Averill's raid into Southwestern Virginia is an accomplishment of considerable importance The damage he was able to inflict was large, in the destruction of stores, bridges, etc. He reports having destroyed three depots containing 2,000 barrels of flour, 10,000 bushels of wheat, 100,000 bushels of shelled corn, 50,000 bushels of oats, 1,000 sacks of salt, 31 boxes of clothing, 20 bales of cotton, besides harnesses, shoes, leather, tools, oil, tow, 100 wagons, and 2,000 barrels of meats. He also cut and destroyed the telegraph for half a mile, and a section of the railroad, with water-stations and tanks—also five bridges and the culverts for 15 miles, to say nothing of bridge timber and building materials. All of this was done at Salem, in Virginia, which is not quite half way from the crossing at the Kanawha river to Lynchburg, and about forty to fifty miles to the latter place. He thus cut off Longstreet from his railroad connection with Lynchburg. The force with which this was done the rebels estimate at 25,000: but it was probably not a sixth of that. The hardships of the command in their passage of mountains and in swimming streams at this inclement season were very great, and entitle the troops to the gratitude of the country. It is our hope that Southwestern Virginia will not a great while be left to mere raiding. A suitable force pushed upward from Knoxville might work a fire in the rear of Lee's army, which might be extremely inconvenient. to him.

—The United States steamer Michigan, Captain Carter, has returned to Erie from Sandusky, and is preparing to go into winter quarters. She is in excellent condition, and has been supplied with a new armament, consisting of thirteen additional guns. She now carries four 12-pound howitzers, four 10-pound Parrott's, a sixty-four-pounder bow gun, and her old stern-gun, which for many years has been her only artillery.

—The Washington *Intelligencer* states on what it says reliable authority, that a letter recently published, purporting to be from President Lincoln to our Minister in England, Mr. Adams, was not written by the President.

—Fernando Wood voted for the House amendments to the Conscription Law.

THE PRIZE RING.

THE FIGHT BETWEEN HEENAN AND KING—PREPARATIONS IN LONDON ON THE DAY PREVIOUS TO THE MILL—TRAINING AND APPEARANCE OF THE MEN—THE BETTING, &c.

London (Dec. 7) Cor. of the Dublin Freeman's Journal.

The Congress, the Schleswig-Holstein difficulty, the French Budget, the eight per cent. of the Bank of England, even the great storm, are forgotten for the moment, and the attention of the public is turned exclusively to the great international battle between the Benecia Boy and Tom King, the ex-champion of England. The prize is a round sum of £2,000, not to speak of the honor, and glory and popularity which the successful gladiator is certain to achieve.

Should the weather permit, the encounter is to take place to-morrow (Tuesday) within one hundred miles of the metropolis. The precise *locale* is not yet known, as the Chief Commissioner of Police has issued special instructions to his subordinates to telegraph to the constabulary of the home counties where any authentic information can be obtained as to the whereabouts. It is not, however, believed that the county police have any real desire to interfere, for on the last occasion when Heenan and Tom Sayres met to contend for the champion's belt and one thousand pounds no attempt was made to interrupt the combat until it was too late.

The two men have been training almost unintermittingly for the last four months—Heenan at a farm house on the outskirts of Newmarket Heath, and King in the neighborhood of Bury St. Edmond's, in Suffolk. Both are represented as being in first rate condition. Tom Sayers, who is, perhaps, better qualified to judge of the matter than any one else, has given some advice to his former opponent, which the latter will, no doubt, avail himself of in the coming battle.

When Heenan fought Sayers at Farnborough his hands became so soft after the first hour that his blows were of comparatively little effect on the hardened but elastic frame of Sayers. To prevent a recurrence of so untoward a circumstance Heenan has been practicing for many hours each day at a sack filled with oats suspended in the air by a rope. By this operation his friends assert that he has brought his hands to the proper consistency, and, as Tom Sayers pronounced them to be efficient, it may fairly be presumed that they are so.

Both men have walked on an average from fifteen to twenty miles per day, and both have observed the strictest regimen with regard to diet, &c.

Heenan weighs as nearly as possible fourteen stone, and stands six feet and one half inches. His width around the chest is forty-six inches.

His opponent, King, is lighter, by fourteen pounds, and his width of chest is but forty-two inches, but he stands nearly an inch taller than Heenan; he has the advantage also of being two or three years the senior of the Benica Boy.

With regard to nationality, Heenan may be said to be an Irishman, his parents both being Irish; Tom King asserts that he is "English to the backbone." I have heard, however, that in reality King is half-and-half—one of his parents hailing from yourside of the channel. Be it as it may, both men are splendid specimens of modern athletes, and each will do his best to win the crown of victory.

Physically speaking, two finer men have never entered the prize ring, and perhaps in the annals of the sporting world so large a sum of money has never previously been staked upon the issue of such a contest.

The friends of Tom King have made their headquarters at the east end of the town, and those of Heenan at the west end; but all the "sporting houses," as they are styled, have been thronged during the last few days with the backers and admirers of the men.

Owing to the drawn battle between Heenan and Sayers, and the circumstance that perhaps no other pugilist in the Kingdom but Heenan could have stood up in the ring for two hours before the accomplished Tom, the betting is in favor of Heenan. Last week it was seven to four against King, but within the last forty-eight hours the betting has improved a point as regards the latter, and seven to five may now be taken as the odds. Outside the immediate circle of the prize ring the prevailing sentiment is also in favor of Heenan, and his non-professional admirers have laid large sums on him. On the other hand, King has a numerous party who profess themselves sanguine of his success, not only on account of his enduring powers, but also on account of his superior length of arm and the tremendous force with which he concentrates his blows, and which may possibly (as in the case with Macc) knock his opponent out of time. With regard to science, which, after all, will probably win the day, both men are fairly matched; although, judging from the battle at Farnborough, it may be inferred that here too Heenan will have the advantage.

With regard to the locality of the fight, the start will be made between three and five o'clock A. M., to-morrow morning, and the probability is that the place selected will be on the Great Western Railway, either in the counties of Berks or Wilts. The men themselves will not arrive in town until a late hour to-night, and both will avoid their usual haunts in order to prevent the possibility of their falling into the hands of the police, who have warrants for their apprehension. The tickets for the special train will be three guineas each, and to prevent a recurrence of the disgraceful scene which took place at the railway stations preparatory to the last two fights, a special body guard is to be organized to protect the persons and pockets of those who may desire to be present on this occasion.

Two of Heenan's brothers have been residing with him near Newmarket, and will accompany him to the field. They are both tall, good looking fellows, with the slightest possible dash of the Yankee in their appearance.

Heenan is to have McDonald, a well-known retired veteran of the ring, for his second, while King will, I believe, be "waited upon" by Owen Swift, another quondam professor of the pugilistic art, who has retired into private life and opened a public house. Owing to information which has reached the "parties" that an attempt will be made to pass off a great number of forged railway tickets for the special train, engaged for the excursionists the tickets will not be issued until a late hour to-night, or, in fact, until within a couple of hours of the actual departure of the train. Those who really wish to be present at the fight will not, however, find any difficulty in obtaining the necessary vouchers in the course of the night at any of the sporting houses of the metropolis.

An excursion train has been ordered capable of conveying 800 persons.

A Speech by General Rosecrans.

At a meeting for recruiting purposes in Cincinnati, some nights since, General Rosecrans made the following remarks:

"I came here to-night for the purpose of aiding a cause for which I feel as great an interest, I believe, as any of you. It is our duty to sustain those of our friends and brothers now in the field defending our homes. You think the ranks are filled, and that we now have the advantage; but it is necessary to keep up the military force and increase it if desired. Nothing in history shows so wonderful an effort as has been put forth by the people who have grown accustomed to governments hundreds of years old should love them, but is it not wonderful, the love for their government shown by so young people as ours? But is it not necessary to keep up that love, and to keep up our armies to maintain that government.

With regard to the resolutions you have just passed so unanimously, I think that one soldier put into an old regiment is worth two and a half in a new one; for, from his messmate, the old soldier, he learns how to wash, cook, sleep, perform military duty and avoid sickness. The new soldier, in a new regiment, suffers twice the sickness of one thus situated; and every regiment of one thousand men is generally reduced, in the course of six weeks, to one-half its number."

—A new ocean steam line from Montreal to Liverpool is projected. Canada is to subscribe $500,000 and England $2,000,000 towards the enterprise. It is proposed to build a fleet of screw steamships of about two thousand to two thousand five hundred tons, of large capacity and of moderate power, and to begin a fortnightly service each way, to be increased to a weekly line, calling at a port in Ireland, as soon as the vessels can be got ready. Until such time as the ships are built it is believed there will be no difficulty in chartering suitable vessels, so as to enable the company to go into operation in the spring.

STATE NEWS.

NICOLLET COUNTY.

MR. TIBBETS, Register of the Land Office at St. Peter, informs the editor of the *Tribune* that the business in his office is better now than it has been for the past five years.

We find the following items in the St. Peter *Statesman*:

ONE hundred Government horses were brought here a few days ago, to winter. They are under the charge of Lieut. Carver, Q. M. 6th Regiment.

THERE has been a very large quantity of pork purchased and packed here the past few weeks, at from 2 1-2 to 4 cents per pound.

H. H. LAMBERTON, last week, sold 320 acres of land—half timber and half prairie—in Lake Prairie township, to Mr. Fay, for $1,400. We learn that Mr. F. designs settling upon and improving the farm.

BUTTER and eggs have not been so high as now since 1856. Butter 16 to 18 cents per lb., and eggs from 15 to 16 cents per dozen. Ham at 10 cents per lb., and eggs at the above price make rather expensive living.

THE Odd Fellows of Saint Peter will give a grand ball at the Court House on New Years' evening, January 1st, 1864. The supper will be at the Stelzer House.

STEARNS COUNTY.

THE Episcopal Church at Saint Cloud held a Fair and Festival on Tuesday evening from which they realized $249.

GOODHUE COUNTY.

NEW POSTMASTER.—Mr. Sorin having resigned the Postmastership of this city, E. P. Lowater, Esq., has been appointed to that office.—*Red Wing Republican.*

A CORRESPONDENT of the *Republican* writing from Saint Louis December 10th, says that Sergeant S. E. Avery, Company A, 7th Minnesota, a former resident of Goodhue county, was shot through the head while at the head of a body of men attempting to arrest a deserter. He died in about three hours.

LE SUEUR COUNTY.

DIPTHERIA is making sad havoc among the children in Le Sueur county. As many as fifteen have died within a fortnight in the Dutch Lake neighborhoods.

DODGE COUNTY.

LAST Tuesday evening a crowded meeting was held at Wasioja, by the friends of Col. George, to give him a public welcome to his home. The Col. addressed the meeting in a manner that satisfied the Audience of his devotion to the Union, and confidence in its restoration. His chief topic was a narration of the services of his Regiment.—*Mantorville Express.*

HOUSTON COUNTY.

THE "main dependence" of the Hokah *Chief* was sick last week, and the editor was obliged to run the institution alone. He says:

For more than forty-five years our fingers have traveled over the "space box" and never until the past week has it fallen to our lot to "set up" an entire message.

ANOKA COUNTY.

THE cars have at length arrived at Anoka. It is an important fact to our town, as the starting point of a more thrifty growth. We trust we shall see progress in every direction, as with the power and speed of steam.—*Anoka Star.*

Miscellaneous.

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Leaves Manomin	8:30 A. M.	Leaves Manomin	4:15 P. M.
Arrive at Coon Creek	8:30 A. M.	Arrive at Coon Creek	4:35 P. M.
Leaves Coon Creek	8:35 A. M.	Leave Coon Creek	4.40 P. M.
Leaves Manomin	9:05 A. M.	Leaves Manomin	5:00 P. M.
Leaves St. Anthony	9:20 A. M.	Leaves St. Anthony	5:30 P. M.
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Snuff and Tobacco Manufacturer,

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Would call the attention of Dealers to the articles of his manufacture, viz:

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Jacaboy, Demigros,
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MEN WANTED

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Good pay and prize money given.

Recruits will be shipped for one, two, or three years, or during the war.

The fact that men may enlist for one year with good quarters on ship board, good pay and prize money, which has thus far amounted to more than the bounty paid for the army recruits.

Each recruit for one year will receive the following articles of clothing.

One pea jacket.
One pair blue cloth trousers.
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Two under flannel shirts.
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One mattrass.
Two blankets.
One seamless cap.
One black silk handkerchief.
All of navy pattern.

Apply at the United States Naval Rendezvous, over LANGLEY & TEMPLE'S AUCTION STORE, Third street, St. Paul.

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The undersigned are now and have been for the past TEN YEARS, the only Agents in Minnesota for

MALTBY'S CELEBRATED BALTIMORE

OYSTERS.

We GUARANTEE to the public that these Oysters are superior to any others brought to this market. The cans are larger, and are filled with Oysters.

☞ A large supply constantly on hand.

Orders from any part of the State promptly attended to.

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J. B. BRADEN,

Has now received from the Eastern Manufacturers a full and complete assortment of

IRON,

Hardware, Nails,

Steel of all kinds, Springs, Axles, Bolts, Nuts, Axes, Horse Shoes, Horse Nails, Sleigh Shoes, Thimble Skeins, Carriage Trimmings,

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Carbon Oil by the Barrel.

For sale low.
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ZINC AND TINNERS' STOCK,

For sale by
ap24 1y NICOLS, DEAN & CO.

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Have on hand for sale, and are constantly manufacturing, an assortment of Pianos of the best materials and workmanship, equal in every respect to any made in this country, which they offer at very moderate prices. Dealers and others are respectfully invited to examine. oc13-3m

NOTICE.

On and after Dec. 15, tolls on the St. Paul Bridge will be reduced to following rates, until March 1, 1864:

Double team, one crossing, ...10 cts.
Single " " " .....10 "
" " over and return.....15 "

dec11-2w CHAS. A. MORGAN, Receiver.

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Of all kinds on Commission,

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☞ Commissions solicited and promptly attended to. no 20-3m

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Capt. A. R. Russell,

Having received authority from the Governor proposes to raise a Company for the

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All who wish to avoid the DRAFT which is POSITIVELY to take place on the 5th of Jan., 1864, have a chance to enlist in a regiment that will RESERVE EXCEPTED never leave the State in any case as long as forces are needed on our frontier. The BOUNTY is the same as in any other regiment, old or new. Subsistence and transportation furnished to every recruit. Persons desiring to enlist in Capt. Russell's Company, can see him between the hours of 9 A. M. and 4 P. M., at the Union Hotel, corner of 4th and Wabashaw-sts., St. Paul. CAPT. A. R. RUSSELL,
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A SMALL QUANTITY JUST RECEIVED.

LEMONS.

Dried Raspberries,
Dried Cherries, pitted,
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Fresh Citron, Raisins and Currants, at

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next door to

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LAMPS SHADES. CHIMNEYS, OIL,

AND ALL THE ARTICLES BELONGING TO THE TRADE,

Can be found at the Store adjoining Marvin's Crockery Importing House.

An exclusive Lamp and Oil Store to meet the demands of the Wholesale and Retail trade, has long been desirable in St. Paul. Country Merchants can now be supplied at Eastern prices (transportation added.) Call at the Carbon Oil and Lamp Store adjoining Marvin's Crockery House.

☞ Country Merchants are especially invited. Call and see. sept29

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200 BARRELS BEST WHITE AND STRAW COLORED. For sale cheap by

WATSON & DENSMORE,

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dec1-1mo

Legal Notices.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE BY ADMINISTRATOR.

License having been duly granted by the Probate Court in and for the county of Ramsey, and State of Minnesota, to sell the lands hereinafter described, belonging to the estate of Seth P. Spencer, deceased, to satisfy the debts against the said estate:

Now, therefore, I do hereby give notice that under and pursuant to the order of the said Court, I will offer for sale and will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the Court House, in the city of St. Paul, in the said county of Ramsey, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on Wednesday, the thirteenth day of December, A. D. 1863, in the order named, the following described pieces and parcels of land situate in said county of Ramsey, to wit:

The southeast quarter of the north west quarter, containing forty-acres; also, the north-east quarter of the south-west quarter, containing forty acres; also, the north-west quarter of the south-east quarter, containing forty-acres; also, the north east quarter of the southeast quarter, containing forty acres; all of said tracts being in section numbered eighteen, in town-ship numbered thirty, of range numbered twenty-three; with the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances belonging or in anywise appertaining to the said tracts.

Dated Saint Paul, December 7th, 1863.

ROBERT P. LEWIS,
Administrator of the estate of
tu dec8-5w Seth P. Spencer, deceased.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the application of the Minneapolis, Faribault and Cedar Valley Railroad Company for the appointment of three Commissioners to examine and assess the damages which may be sustained by the several owners or claimants of the lands through which the road of said Company (the St. Paul branch) is located within the county of Ramsey in the State of Minnesota, by reason of the appropriation of such lands for Railroad purposes by said Company:

To the several owners and claimants of the lands in this notice mentioned, or of any part thereof, and to all and every person or persons having or claiming any estate, right or interest in any portion of such lands: You and each of you are hereby notified that an application will be made by and in behalf of the Minneapolis, Faribault and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, to the Hon. Edward C. Palmer, Judge of the District Court, of the Second Judicial District, of the State of Minnesota, at the Court House, in the city of Saint Paul, in said Ramsey County, on the thirteenth day of January, A. D. 1863, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, for the appointment of three Commissioners to examine and assess the damages which may be sustained by the several owners and claimants of the several pieces, parcels, lots or tracts of land, through or upon which the road of said Company, to wit: the St. Paul branch thereof, is located in said county of Ramsey, by reason of the appropriation and taking thereof by said Company, for Railroad purposes, to wit: for the right of way for their said road, the necessary turnouts, sites for water buildings, conduits, tanks, depots, stations, warehouses, machine and other shops, and extra tracks necessary therefor, and to ascertain and fix the compensation to be paid therefor by said Company.

The following is a description of the lands within the said county of Ramsey, through or upon which said road is located, and which is sought to be taken and appropriated for the purposes aforesaid:

In Rice & Irvine's Addition to St. Paul.

Part of lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, in block 36.
Part of lots 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 37.
The whole of block 38.
The whole of block 39.
The whole of block 40.
Part of lots 6, 6, 7, 8 and 9, in block 41.
The whole of block 43.
Part of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, in block 44.
Part of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 11, in block 45.
The whole of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, in block 46.
The whole of block 47.
The whole of block 48.
The whole of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, in block 49.

In Irvine's Enlargement.

Part of lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, and the whole of lots 17 to 25, inclusive, in block 68. Also, the strip of land lying between lots 8 and 9, in said block 68, and the whole of blocks 69 and 70.

In Leach's Addition to St. Paul.

Part of lot 7, in block 7.

In Winslow's Addition to St. Paul.

Part of lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, in block 14.
Part of lots 4, 5 and 6, in block 15.
Part of block 17.

In Stinson, Brown & Ramsey's Addition to St. Paul.

Part of the south half of block 15.
Part of lot 11, in the north half of block 15.
Part of block 16.
Part of lots 11, 12, 28, 29, 30, 59, 60, 61, 63, 64 and 65, in the *sub-division* of block 28.
Part of lots 2, 3, 4 and 5, in the *sub-division* of block 29.

ALSO, Part of the s e ¼ of the s e ¼ of sec. 1, of township 28, range 23, and part of the n w ¼ of the n e ¼ of sec. 12, of the same township and range.

H. R. BIGELOW, Attorney for the
M., F. & C. V. R. R. Co., St. Paul, Minn.
Dated December 12th, A. D. 1863. dec12-1d

Drugs and Medicines.

SIMS, VAWTER & ROSE,

DRUGS, DRUGS, DRUGS,

AT

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

(UNION BLOCK,)

No. 111 Third Street.

Our aim is to keep in store a well selected and COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF GOODS.

We feel that thus far our efforts have been duly appreciated, and trusting a continuance of patronage, we renew our endeavors.

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Our BURNING OILS we notice especially, and ask a trial of its merits. The Oil that is most DURABLE, giving the same light, is of course

The Oil to Buy.

TILDEN'S FLUID EXTRACTS,

Pills and Granules, at card prices.

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For mending Furniture and wood in all shapes; Ivory, Bone, Crockery, Glass, Earthen-Ware, Leather, Paper, &c., &c.,

SUPERCEDES ALL OTHERS.

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Our stock of PERFUMERIES and Fancy Goods will equal any in the city.

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THE CELEBRATED FAMILY DYE COLORS.

In cases, assorted to suit dealers, and also at retail.

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HEIMSTREET'S INIMITABLE HAIR COLORING FOR THE HAIR.

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FOR THE COMPLEXION.

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Sewing Machines.

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Of **them** in use in **this country** and **Europe.**

These are the **only machines** making the **Lock Stitch** with the **Rotating Hook.**

Are **profitable** and **available a life time.**

Equal to **ten seamstresses.**

An **annual dividend** of 100 to 500 per cent. (on their cost) may be obtained in use—by **their possessor.**

The **Class Cloth-Presser,** (so popular,) can only be had with these Machines.

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MAKING BOTH THE

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FIRST PREMIUMS in Illinois, Ohio, Iowa and Michigan.

Parties purchasing machines of the GROVER & BAKER S. M. CO., can have their choice of machines making either stitch, and change if they desire to. *The only company able to offer such inducements.* They also offer to the public at the extremely low price of

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A Straight Needle Lock Stitch Machine,

Suitable for Tailors and Family use. This machine is of *large size, rapid, quite simple and far superior* to the shuttle or lock stitch machines heretofore sold at $75 to $100.

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GOOD WINTER APPLES,

FOR SALE BY

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F. W. TUCHELT,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Tobacco, Cigars, &c. Fine Imported Cigars, Smoking and Chewing Tobacco. Fine Cut Chewing, superior to any in the city. Sweet Briar Root Pipes, a large assortment. F. W. TUCHELT,
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D. W. INGERSOLL & CO,

Are now receiving an extensive stock of

Fall and Winter

DRY GOODS,

from

Late Cash Sales in New York

Consisting in part of

MUSLIN DE LAINES,

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LADIES' LONG AND SQUARE

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In every variety.

Cloakings, Balmoral Skirts,

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HOSIERY,

Consisting of English and German Cotton, Woollen and Worsted Hose.

LADIES & CHILDREN'S BALMORAL HOSE.

White and mixed

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CLOTHS and CASSIMERES.

White, red and mixed

FLANNELS.

Sheetings, Shirtings, Tickings,

Denims, Blankets.

ALL COUNTRY MERCHANTS who purchase

FOR CASH,

Should examine our stock before purchasing.

We will not be undersold in this market.

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CLOTHING AND

Gent's Furnishing Goods,

AT THE STORE OF

W. H. TEMPLE,

THIRD ABOVE MINNESOTA ST.

Overcoats.

FINE BEAVER.....$14, $18 and $25.
BLACK DOESKIN, CASSIMERE AND CLOTH.....$14 to $20.
PETERSHAM, PILOT & SATINET...$8 to $18.

Business Coats, Frocks & Sacks

A large assortment, $6 to $20.

Pantaloons for the Million.

From a coarse Satinet to a fine Doeskin, all new goods, and made up in style.

VESTS.

Black Doeskin, Cloth, Figured Cassimere, Silk and Silk Velvet, of different grades.

Shirts and Drawers,

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FINE WHITE AND FANCY WOOL SHIRTS.

We have now in store one of the largest stocks of Clothing in the State. Our goods have been bought so that we can give bargains. Those in want of any article in our line would do well to give us a call.

my30-tf **W. H. TEMPLE.**

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And some will wish they had got their supply to

FILL THE CHILDREN'S STOCKINGS,

Before the last days.

AT KELLOGG'S

There is plenty of Toys, and by giving a little time or notice, he will supply the whole country.

NOW IS YOUR TIME.

You can have your kegs filled with SWEET CIDER, made to-day. dec17-tf

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China TOYS, Glass TOYS, TOYS made of Tin; Wood TOYS, Willow TOYS, some as big again; TOY Tops, TOY Buckets, TOY Dusters, too; TOY Sheep, TOY Dogs, TOYS red and blue.

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TOY Cradles, TOY Babies, also TOY Beds; TOY Skates, TOY Horses, as well as TOY Sleds; TOY Albums, TOY Chairs, TOYS cheap and dear; TOY Guns and TOY Swords, for the new Year.

All that want presents, for the little girls and boys, come to KELLOGG'S Store—that's the place for TOYS;—where is this TOY-SHOP—just tell me if you can,—across from the Bridge,—

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OUR SPECIALTIES.

DRESS GOODS.—A large line, consisting of French Merinos, All Wool and Union Plaids, Empress Cloths, Plaid Valencias, Muslin de Laines, &c., &c., at very low figures, at

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TERMS—Part cash and part credit.
Apply to D. COOPER,
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Clairvoyant Examinations $1. Past, Present and future, 50c.

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CHAINS, TACKLE BLOCKS, TENTS, AWNINGS, WAGON COVERS, COTTON AND RUSSIA DUCKS,

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New Sugar Cured Dried Beef, and Pine Apple Cheese, and a complete and desirable stock of Fresh

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100 bbls. pure Juice of the Apple, at PUTNAM'S.

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Goods delivered to all parts of the City free of charge. no20-tf

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Choice White

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CHEESE—ONE THOUSAND LBS.

Extra Hamburgh,

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$102 for New Recruits, and $102 to any one who has already served Nine Months and been Honorably Discharged.

Subsistence and Transportation will be furnished to every recruit from the date of enlistment.

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M. C. RUSSELL,
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BREWERS OF

LILL'S STOCK

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Cream Pale Ale,

LAGER BEER,

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Seventh Anniversary of the Young Men's Christian Association.

REPORTS OF THE TREASURER AND SECRETARY.

Discourse by Rev. S. Y. McMasters, D. D.

The Jackson Street Methodist Church was filled with an attentive audience on Sunday evening, it being the Seventh Anniversary of the Young Men's Christian Association.

The objects of the organization are most commendable and it is to be regretted that the active membership is so limited as it appears from the report of the Secretary.

THE TREASURER'S REPORT.

After the opening exercises, the Treasurer Mr. D. D. Merrill, submitted the following report which shows a healthy condition of the finances of the Association:

RECEIPTS.

Balance in Treasury at last report	$16 89
Interest	27 95
Dues from membership	79 55
Donation from Claflin, Mellen & Co., of New York, per Mr. Ingersoll	100 00
Received from Milburn's lectures	296 75
Sundries	53 00
Total	$574 14

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid Mr. Milburn	$150 00
Expenses of the lectures	60 30
Books purchased	122 08
Sundries	53 15
Total	$385 53
Cash on hand	188 61
	$574 14

THANKSGIVING COLLECTIONS.

The following collections for the United States Christian Commission were made on Thanksgiving day:

First Presbyterian Church, St. Paul	$28 15
Union meeting at Plymouth Church, St. Paul	63 65
House of Hope, St. Paul	78 95
Presbyterian Church, Stillwater	7 00
Union meeting at Lakeville	3 40
First Presbyterian Church, St. Peter	25 00
Union meeting, Minneapolis	56 45
Three friends in St. Paul	6 05
Total	$261 75
Amount sent Joseph Patterson, Philadelphia, Treasurer U. S. Christian Commission	266 40
Paid for exchange	1 35
Total	$267 75

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY'S REPORT.

Mr. H. M. Knox, Corresponding Secretary, read a very interesting report of the progress made during the last year.

The transfer of the library to the St. Paul Library Association was discussed at length. Up to the time of the transfer the Association had expended over $1100 for the library, and had $363 still on hand.

The active membership has always been limited, those who could properly be called *active* never having exceeded twelve.

A glowing tribute was paid to D. W. Ingersoll, Esq., the retiring President, who has held that position for five years, but now finds himself obliged to decline a re-election which was unanimously tendered him. The success of the Association thus far had been in a great measure owing to his efforts. The new board of officers stands:

President, Lieut. Geo. W. Prescott; Vice President, Rev. Edward Eggleston; Recording Secretary, H. K. Taylor; Corresponding Secretary, H. M. Knox; Treasurer, D. D. Merrill.

In the department of army work the Association has organized itself as an Army Committee, to act as an auxiliary in this State to the U. S. Christian Commission of Philadelphia. They are also endeavoring to secure a library for the hospital at Fort Snelling.

The report closes with an appeal to young men to come forward and unite with the organization.

DR. M'MASTER'S DISCOURSE.

The audience were next favored with an appropriate and eloquent discourse by Rev. Dr. McMasters, of Christ's Church. We append a brief synopsis of his sermon:

TEXT—Jude 1, 3.—"It was needful for me to write unto you and exhort you, that ye should earnestly contend for the faith once delivered unto the saints."

After a brief introduction the speaker opened his discourse with words of caution to the Association not to assume too much for itself. No truly Christian association can possibly have entertained the idea of making itself or anything else a substitute for the Church of Christ. The object of such an organization is to be auxiliary to the Church. There is a natural tendency in all voluntary associations for the advancement of religion to magnify themselves into an importance which belongs only to the Church of Christ.

In view of the dangerous tendencies of the age, he would propose the subject of Conservatism for their consideration.

He then proceeded to illustrate his subject by the statement, that in every government there are two elements—the working force and the conservative force. The working force is often misdirected and wasted, owing to the want of the conservative or governing force. As a general thing the religious mind of our country, where it exists, is not wanting in fervor, and hence the necessity of inculcating conservatism.

The platform upon which they should stand he laid down as

1st—No sound morals without religion.

2d—No true religion without a revelation.

3d—No divorcement of revelation from the Church of the Redeemer.

[We regret that our space will not permit us to make even a synopsis of the remarks under the above heads.]

The field which is presented for such an association was reviewed. A hundred thousand young men who have gone to the rescue of their country from the bloody hands of a Godless rebellion, nine in military hospitals. Every association like this should have its messengers flying, like angels of mercy, among the camps and hospitals.

There would still be work to do after the restoration of peace. The world will be agitated, and religion will still be the hope of the country. He would have them search the scriptures and distribute them far and wide; they should hold prayer meetings, invite young men to take counsel with them, and learn to do service to their God and to their country.

He closed by saying: "Let your motto be, 'In essentials, unity; in non-essentials, liberty; in all things, charity.'"

A SPECIAL meeting of the Minnesota Historical Society was held this evening at 8 o'clock, at the room of the St. Paul Library Association.

The President, Senator Ramsey, being absent, the senior Vice President, Col. D. A. Robertson presided.

On motion of J. W. Taylor, Esq.—

Resolved, That the vacancy caused by the resignation of the Rev. E. D. Neill, as Secretary, be filled by Mr. Wm. H. Kelley for the unexpired term.

On motion of Mr. C. E. Mayo—

Resolved, That Capt. James L. Fisk be requested to meet the Historical Society in a conversational meeting at the room of the St. Paul Library Association, on Tuesday evening next.

On motion of Col. Wm. R. Marshall—

Resolved, That the Hon. H. M. Rice be requested to deliver the address at the Annual Meeting of the Society.

On motion of Capt. P. Berkey—

Resolved, That the Society meet at its room in the Capitol, on the evening of the second Monday in January, and that all persons having contributions for the Library or Museum, be requested to present them at that meeting.

On motion J. W. Taylor, Esq.—

Resolved, That the Society meet on the 2nd Monday evening of each month at such place as may be appointed by the presiding officer.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KELLEY, Sec. *pro tem.*

ST. PAUL, Dec. 26, 1863.

ARRIVAL OF VOLUNTEERS.—Captain Stees arrived in town last week with eight new recruits whom he enlisted at Fort Madelia, Minnesota, on the Watonwan river, where he is stationed. The citizens of Madelia are very patriotic—*every* able-bodied man in the place having volunteered, with one exception, and *he* an old bachelor, whom the ladies declare they will present with an old petticoat if he don't either volunteer or leave the town. Capt. Stees has added two recruits to his list since his arrival here, making ten in all, which shows some recruits can be had in the city yet. These men have all enlisted in the 6th Regiment, and draw the bounty given to old regiments.

Captain Stees will remain in the city until the second day of January, and persons desiring to send any packages to their friends in Company G, 6th Regiment, can do so by leaving them at John A. Stees' store.

THE CONCERT LAST NIGHT.—The first Concert of the St. Paul Musical Society last night was a success in every since. The house that greeted them was crowded to the utmost, and showed its appreciation of the music by the lively applause that greeted almost every piece on the programme.

The pieces selected were of a very high class of music, and were well rendered, showing that we have musical talent among us of a superior order. It is the aim of this Amateur Orchestra Society to collect and train this, and their generous greeting by the public and their success so far, is good augury that Music is to be henceforth an art among us, with a full train of votaries.

The Solos on the violin by Hancke, on the Piano by Frank Wood, and the song by Zenzius, were very fine, indeed. We, as well as everybody else, are impatient for the Second Concert, having been so charmed with the first.

THE ENROLMENT OF VOLUNTEERS.—The City Council were to have met last night to hear the reports of the number of volunteers that have been raised in the various wards. There was no quorum present. The reports from the various wards, we ascertained, stand as follows:

First Ward claims	310
Second " "	318
Third " "	312
Fourth " "	254
Fifth " "	255
Total	1,449

As this largely exceeds our quota, we are certainly safe on the present draft and have a balance over.

ENLISTS AND PAYS HIS FINE.—Geo. Parks was brought up before the Police Court yesterday, for assaulting his wife, Sarah Parks. George belonged to the Mounted Rangers, and during his absence, as his wife claims, provided no means of support for his family. On returning, he found his wife an inmate of a house of prostitution, and proceeded to give her a slight castigation. For this offense he was fined five dollars, and in order to raise the money, re-enlisted in the Second Cavalry, receiving the veteran bounty.

We would suggest to those who become involved in these little difficulties that they settle the matter, by raising the money after Parks' fashion.

THE STOLEN BONDS.—The Lake City *Times* of Saturday contains the following account of the arrest of the men suspected of stealing Mr. Steele's trunk:

Two men have since been arrested at Wabashaw, on one of whom, it is said, was found a watch which had been stolen from a passenger in the same coach, after leaving Saint Paul. A man by the name of Bain, of this county, who, it will be remembered, has been serving a term in the State Prison, at Stillwater, for counterfeiting, is one of the parties now under arrest. Bain's term of imprisonment has expired, and suspicion attached to him in this case from having in his possession money of which he could give no account, and from other circumstances, the particulars of which we have not yet heard. They are both in the county jail at Wabashaw.

DON'T forget the exhibition by the Baptist Sabbath School at Ingersoll's Hall this evening. The Christmas tree, in all the glory of its wonderful fruit-bearing, will be displayed, and singing, recitations and tableaux will follow. The rising of the curtain will disclose the tree and school at 7 o'clock. Admission twenty-five cents.

Patronize the children to-night by going to Ingersoll's Hall.

A SOLDIER writing from Fort Snelling says that himself and several other soldiers went to a dance at Minneapolis, where a *lady* remarked "that she would not have come had she known that soldiers would be admitted." He indignantly declares that such conduct is very heartless, as all of the soldiers present were, when in civil life, quite the equal of the young lady in every respect.

"VIDES UT ALTA STET NIVE CANDIDUM.—Yes the snow is now of good depth for sleighing, and people from the country can drive to town to get them juvenile books, photographic albums, school books &c., also diaries for 1864. Davenport is selling off very low, try him, No. 294 3d street, next block above the Post Office. Davenport has received all the Magazines for January 1864, Harper, Atlantic, &c. Go to Davenport, he's got 'em.

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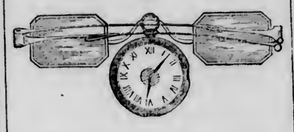

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SAINT PAUL, WEDNESDAY, DEC. 30.

THE SECOND REGIMENT RE-ENLISTED AND COMING HOME ON FURLOUGH.

The Second Regiment, true to the noble record it has made in battling for the Union, has re-enlisted almost in a body, and will soon be at home for a thirty days' visit.

The following dispatch was received yesterday:

CHATTANOOGA, December 28.

Adjutant General O. Malmros:

Eight companies have re-enlisted. Expect us home on furlough soon

J. W. BISHOP,
Colonel Commanding 2d Minn.

To this Adjutant Malmros replied as follows:

ST. PAUL, December 29, 1863.

Col. J. W. Bishop, Second Minnesota:

The State will be happy to welcome your brave boys home. Please do your best to have the muster-in rolls forwarded at the earliest practicable moment, so that the men who have re-enlisted may be credited on the next draft.

OSCAR MALMROS,
Adjutant General

Too much credit cannot be given to these brave men, who, after having for nearly three years endured the perils, hardships and privations of active service, again come forward and enter the field for a second term. No better evidence of the sentiments the soldiers entertain of the rebellion could be given. They have commenced the "good fight," and are not weary in well doing. All honor to the SECOND MINNESOTA.

THE BOUNTY AFTER THE FIFTH.

As some may not have seen the order, making a change in bounties after the 5th of January, which we published on Sunday morning, we reprint it below:

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.

Capt. T. M. Saunders, St. Paul:

A law has been passed to the effect that no bounties except such as are now provided by law shall be paid to any person enlisted after the 5th of January next. The only bounty provided by law is the one hundred ($100) dollars authorized by Act of Congress, promulgated in General Order 49, Series of 1861, from this office. Bounties will be paid in accordance with existing orders to recruits who enlist before January 5th inclusive, for any three years' organization in service, or authorized by the War Department, and in process of completion.

By order of the Secretary of War.
E. D. TOWNSEND, A. A. G.

THE NEWS.

Judging from the budget of dispatches we have this morning, we have lost but little news by the break in the wires, which is a very consoling reflection. There is probably no news of importance to give, as Congress is spending the holidays at home, and severe weather, interdicts army movements.

A DISPATCH mentions several removals from office in Washington, "of officials suspected of sympathy with secessionists," and among them John F. Callan, Esq., for many years Clerk of the Senate Military Committee, who is as true and loyal as any member of the Senate. To assign disloyalty as the cause of his removal is a flagrant injustice.—*Pioneer.*

According to the *Pioneer's* standard of loyalty, "flagrant injustice" has undoubtedly been done, but the facts are rather against our indignant neighbor. Later developments show, that instead of being removed he resigned, after two of his sons who were holding comfortable government situations, had been actually detected in treasonable practices, and he was more than suspected of complicity with them.

Knowing that detection was certain, he thought to flee in time and thereby escape exposure. It is all very natural that the sympathies of the *Pioneer* should be aroused, and we are glad to know who it looks upon as its friends. It would undoubtedly consider it "flagrant injustice" to "suspect" Jeff. Davis, if he should return to Washington and take his abandoned seat in the Senate.

THE gentleman to whom the *Pioneer* attributes the authorship of a curious article on Blue noses which got into this paper in the absence of the responsible editors, feels called upon not only to disclaim any personal share in the composition of that brilliant and beautiful production, but to disavow it editorially as a violation of a fundamental article of the political faith of this paper.

The PRESS proscribes no one for the accidents of birth or color or race or nation, and religiously believes that a man is not necessarily a scoundrel or a brute *because* he is a Yankee, an Irishman, a negro, or even a Blue Nose.

WE noticed a short time since the fact that a woollen factory was in successful operation at Preston, Fillmore county. The Preston *Republican* adds to what we previously said:

Messrs. Wallace & Wheeler are determined to keep pace with the constantly increased demand for their goods, by adding new machinery this winter, which will increase it to double its former capacity. They are also collecting the materials for enlarging their building to double its former dimensions the coming season, and when completed it will be one of the finest stone buildings in the State, with a capacity to turn out from 60,000 to 100,000 yards of cloth fit for the wedding suit of a prince. The Preston Woollen Mills are bound to keep the lead. Minnesota need not depend upon the East for their woollens much longer.

A NUMBER of our State exchanges have failed to publish our prospectus. If they should find themselves exchanging with the *Weekly* instead of the *Daily* PRESS after the First of January, they will know the reason why.

DISTITUTION OF THE INDIANS AND THEIR DESIRE FOR PEACE.

Advices from Fort Garry of the most reliable character have reached this city. They state that about four hundred and fifty Indians, composed of Little Crow's and Little Six's band, of refugee Sioux murderers, were encamped near the Fort, in a state of utter destitution. Some had starved to death on their way in from the prairie, and there is reason to believe that many more will share the same fate. Other testimony is given to show the destitution of the Indians. Major Camp, writing from Fort Abercombie to Gen. Sibley, under date of December 19th, says:

"Every day I get information which fully sustains my own, as well as the convictions of all the officers with whom I conversed while they were here, of the complete success of last Summer's campaign against the Indians. The half breeds report them in a starving condition, without clothing or ammunition, and the winter must prove a terrible one to them."

We have also been permitted to make the following extract from a dispatch, forwarded yesterday by Gen. Sibley to Gen. Pope:

I have the honor to inform you that I have been favored with the perusal of an extract from a private letter written by the acting Governor of the Hudson Bay Company dated the 21st inst. at Fort Garry, in which he represents that the refugees of the Lower bands are congregating in numbers near the British settlements, and that they are almost destitute of suitable clothing and otherwise in a terrible state of destitution.

They are begging from house to house anything in the shape of food, and the settlers are very much embarrassed with these starving visitors, and do not know how to rid themselves of them.

Father Andre, the Catholic Priest, who was appointed to confer with the bands who have manifested a desire for the restoration of peaceful relations with the government, writes me that the Upper bands have declared their determination to have no further communication with the "bloody men," as they term them. Father Andre was on the eve of his departure to visit the remote Indian camps to bear my message, and on his return he will make a full and reliable report of the views and intentions of these powerful bands.

A REPORT reached this city last evening, said to have been authorized by Col. Pratt of St. Peter, that the returning expedition from Fort Thompson had been heard from and that they were expected to arrive at Fort Ridgley last night with forty wagons. Much solicitude has been felt, lest Capt. Whitney's company had been overtaken by the recent heavy storm, but this news relieves anxiety.

A BUSINESS letter, dated Fort Abercrombie, Dec. 22d, 1863, concludes:

Please inform the "Editorial Correspondent" who accompanied the Treaty Expedition, that his ancient friend, "the mother of Red Lakers," or, as she was called here, "Old Hundred and Twenty," died at "Slabtown" about two weeks ago.

The old lady could stand everything but fame. Sic transit gloria mundi.

The Joint Resolution of Thanks to General Grant.

The following is the joint resolution of thanks to Major General Grant and the officers and soldiers who have fought under his command, passed by Congress and just approved by the President:

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the thanks of Congress be and they hereby are presented to Major-General Ulysses S. Grant, and through him to the officers and soldiers who have fought under his command during the rebellion, for their gallantry and good conduct in the battles in which they have been engaged; and that the President of the United States be requested to cause a gold medal to be struck, with suitable emblems, devices and inscriptions, to be presented to Major-General Grant.

Section 2. And be it further resolved, That, when the said medal shall have been struck, the President shall cause a copy of this joint resolution to be engrossed on parchment and shall transmit the same, together with the said medal, to Major-General Grant, to be presented to him in the name of the people of the United States of America.

Section 3. And be it further resolved, That a sufficient sum of money to carry this resolution into effect, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

NEWS ITEMS.

—The Army of the Potomac is to be supplied with oysters, fish, game, poultry and milk. Gen. Patrick advertises for proposals for oysters, to be delivered by the car load.

—The New York papers say that over a million dollars was staked in that city on the Heenan-King fight. Morrissey won $34,000. As regards its being an international fight the *Times* says: The attempt to make this bull fight "international" was repudiated by the English papers, and, with few exceptions, repudiated by ours. There was nothing "international" about it; Heenan went to England, staid long enough to become familiarized, had his vanity excited, sought a fight, got one as quick as he sought it, and "caught a Tartar"—two or three Tartars.

—Large numbers of the rebel prisoners of war are daily applying for the privilege of taking the oath of allegiance and to be sent North during the war. This is only accorded to those who there is reason to believe are sincere in their wish to become loyal citizens. Many of those released are entering the military and naval service as volunteers. The provisions of the President's amnesty proclamation are not held to apply to prisoners of war.

—The American ladies residing in Montreal, Canada, recently held a fair which yielded $700. This sum has been placed at the disposal of the United States Sanitary Commission for the relief of the sick and wounded soldiers.

—Among the recently captured rebel letters near Chattanooga is one from a private, dated Wasuca, Ga., Nov. 29, in which he says: The fight was so badly conducted that our men are very much disheartened and there is much complaint. It is enough to make the devil mad to think how our army acted in the fight. The right wing of the army under Gen. Breckinridge acted well, but the centre under Hardee was badly managed.

—Mr. William Cornell Jewett, who was staying in Liverpool, was publishing letters in the journals of that town, appealing to the Pope of Rome, and to the Church universally, to mediate between the belligerents in America. The Southern Association of Manchester had declined Mr. Jewett's offer to lecture before them on the American question, because of the stipulation made by Mr. Jewett that he should not comprise himself by altogether espousing the cause of the South, but should be allowed to take a broad view of the subject as it affected humanity.

Presentation to General Rosecrans.

The ladies of the Cincinnati Sanitary Fair presented Gen. Rosecrans with a silver tea service last week. A handsome address of the ladies was read by Prof. Murdock, and the General responded as follows:

"I accept, with the most profound gratitude, this testimonial from the ladies of Cincinnati; and this address, which breathes the sentiments, I believe, not only of the women of Cincinnati, but the women of our whole country, touches me deeply. In every nation there is a heroic age—the age of poetry and heroism; and the signs of this age can be seen in the nation, as the signs of the advance in life of the child toward manhood.

One of these marks is the heroic devotion of the women from whom it comes, as mothers, the first lessons of piety, of honor, and of duty;—from daughters, encouragement and incentive to cultivate and exercise these virtues. It is impossible for me to say what I feel on this subject, but I can bear testimony to my most profound conviction that this war has developed evidences of that heroic age in this nation which these sentiments indicate. And it gives me hope in the future, and trust that Almighty God will bless this nation, and give us unity, peace and freedom beyond any hope which I entertained in the days of our prosperity. I sincerely trust that I may be able in my way and sphere, to remember well what the ladies have said, as I have always heretofore remembered and felt how valuable was their co-operation in this cause. While military success and honor depend very much on the providence of God, a great deal depends upon the troops which the commander happens to have under his control. They fight his battles; and it is wonderful, although the imagination is greatly clouded with the glory and glitter of military renown, how profound is the conviction of every military man, notwithstanding the wisest efforts and best laid plans for success, very much depends on the individual courage of the men, and on the sagacity of officers who happen to be at critical turning points. This has been my observation in reference to the very men who are your brothers, husbands and sons. It is true that the private is glad to have a Captain, and the Captain to have a Colonel, but if they lose the one or the other, they fight right on notwithstanding. [Cheers.]

For this testimonial with which you have honored me, I cannot suitably express my feelings; but I say to you, and to all the ladies of the Union, whose friends have been under my command, that to the bravery, patriotism and perseverance of those friends, I owe what I am, and what I enjoy to-day.

The General retired amid the cordial applause of his hosts and friends.

Whereabouts of the Rebel Army—Who will Command it.

Correspondence of the Cincinnati Gazette.

CHATTANOOGA, Dec. 16.—Although the exact whereabouts of the rebel army is not known, we are quite safe in assuming it to be in the vicinity of Dalton, covering the Atlanta Railroad, and the advance down the Valley of the Conasauga to the line of the Coosa. Hardee is at present in command, but almost all rebel authorities agree in representing this to be a mere temporary arrangement, and say that they will soon have at the head of their army in Georgia, a man who will redeem all the errors of his predecessor, turn their disaster at Chattanooga into a glorious victory, annihilate the blue varlets under Grant, and make the world ring with the fame of the Confederate arms. Who this man will be opinion is at present divided. If the siege of Charleston has been permanently changed into a chronic battery of the ruins of Fort Sumter, varied by occasionally flinging a harmless shell into the city itself, Beauregard will doubtless be detached from command there, and will take up the broken baton of Bragg; or if the authorities of Richmond are by this time fully convinced of the imbecility of General Meade, they will doubtless send Lee down to Georgia, to restore, if possible, their shattered fortunes. With either of these leaders in command, the rebels in our front will give us trouble; although neither is, in my opinion, one whit abler as a military leader than Braxton Bragg. But the latter has lost his confidence of both the rebel army and the rebel public. The soldiers will no longer fight under him, and the citizens refuse to give him credit even for his successes.

But the defender of Charleston, or the leader who has so long held Richmond against the powerful armies of the Union, would be received by the rebels here with a universal burst of enthusiasm, and would be able even to make them dash themselves to pieces against the defences of Chattanooga.

ROME AND ATLANTA NOT YET OURS.

In the meantime, let no loyal man imagine that our work in this region is ended, or that we can now, whenever we shall see proper, walk over the course to Atlanta with impunity. He who thinks thus, suffers himself to fall into an egregious error, and knows nothing of the nature of the country that lies between Chattanooga and that central city, which is, in more than one respect, the heart of the bogus Confederacy. Under such leaders as those who would head our columns in a march to Atlanta, I dare not doubt our success; but I confidently believe that an advance by Gen. Grant from Chattanooga, during the present winter, is of all things that which the rebel leaders most desire. I may be mistaken, but I have not yet brought myself to believe that this desire of theirs will be granted. There are many excellent lines of defense between Chattanooga and Atlanta, at each of which the rebel leaders may fight a battle, with the certainty of being able to retreat in safety, even if defeated. But this theme is too fruitful, and at present I shall not enlarge.

—The news by the Chief of London, confirming Grant's victory over Bragg, was received with great satisfaction in England by the friends of the North, while on the Southern sympathizers it exercised a depressing effect, and that barometer, the Confederate Loan, experienced another material decline, being quoted at 35 and 38, or about 55 discount, with very few buyers. A sale was reported as low as 35.

The latest previous quotations left the loan at 56@57, making a decline of over twenty per cent.

—There is a strong opposition among Senators to the proposition to make Grant a Lieutenant General. His promotion would necessarily bring him to Washington in Halleck's place, and his absence from the field it is felt would be a public calamity

New Advertisements.

WANTED.

Two good Girls, one to do Kitchen work, and one to take care of Children. Apply to Dr. T. WILLIAMS, at his office in Concert Hall, in the forenoon. dec30-3t*

STRAY NOTICE.

Came to my premises on the 11th day of December, a black Bull with white face, about two years old. GEORGE THIRIOT,
McLean Township,
dec30-2t Residence at Pig's Eye.

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Beaver Hats	$1.50	"	$2.00
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CLOAKS,

And all articles usually sold in a

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MRS. J. B. LYGO,
Third street, two doors below
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LATEST NEWS,
By Telegraph.

FROM NEW YORK.

Fight—Burned to Death—New War Vessels—Gen. Corcoran's Funeral—Revolvers Captured.

NEW YORK, Dec, 29.

A desperate assault was made last night by Andy Shehan upon John Morrissey, but the latter severely punished the forme. Both were arrested by a diminutive but plucky police officer, and placed in the tombs.

A woman named Hannon was burned to death on Friday night, on Barrow street, by her clothes catching fire from the grate.

The keels for two immense war vessels were laid at the Brooklyn Navy Yard last week.

The funeral of Gen. Corcoran took place to-day. The remains were escorted to the grave by the 22d and 69th Infantry, and 4th artillery, common council, several secretaries, and many military officers.

The U. S. Marshal yesterday found quite a number of revolvers among the passengers of the steamer Morning Star, all of which were taken away and given in charge of the Purser. A number of "*roughs*" offered large inducements for passage provided they could be taken on board after the steamer had passed the guard ship.

FROM CHARLESTON.

Discharged Soldiers—Nothing Important—No Prospect of Active Operations.

FORT MONROE, Dec. 28.

The steamer Massachusetts arrived this morning from Charleston bar with 240 discharged men, 44 sick, and 16 rebel prisoners captured on the rebel steamer Chatham. The Massachusetts has on board a portion of the rebel obstructions from Charleston harbor.

Her dates are to the 24th, and state that no event of importance had occurred since the sailing of the last steamer. There had been little firing between the land batteries during the last few days. The Ironsides and Monitors are lying safe at their anchorage. There was no present prospect of active operations.

Thanks from Russia.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.

In accordance with instructions received from the Emperor, the Rassan Minister, Mr. Edward Stoeckl, had an audience with the President this morning for the purpose of expressing the thanks of the Imperial Government for the kind reception of the vessels of the Russian navy, and officers and crews, in the United States; also for assistance extended at San Francisco to a Russian corvette, the Norwich.

The communication was cordially received, and courteously acknowledged by the President.

The Disaster at Bayou Coteau.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.

Mr. Gaithell, a correspondent, captured at the Bayou Coteau fight, writes that there were 600 privates and 24 officers captured with him, and that the disaster was owing to the bad conduct of General Washburne, and the gallantry of Burbridge alone saved the whole corps from capture.

The French Outflanked.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.

A New Orleans letter in the *Herald* contains later intelligence from Mexico. A French division of troops had been outflanked after leaving the city of Mexico on an expedition and were retreating back to the city.

Reconstruction in Tennessee.

The Memphis *Evening Bulletin* of the 17th instant says that movements for reconstruction in accordance with the President's late proclamation will be commenced at once. The proclamation says that whenever, in any state in a condition of of reconstruction, a number of persons numbering not less than one-tenth of the number of votes cast at the Presidential election of 1860, having taken the prescribed oath and being qualified voters at the time of secession, shall re-establish a state government, such government shall be recognized as the true government of the State. In 1860 the population of Tennessee was 1,108,800, and the total vote for President that year in the State 145,384. Hence 14,538 of these voters have it in their power to "reconstruct" the State of Tennessee. The *Bulletin* pertinently asks: "Can any one doubt that it will be done? East Tennessee can do the business itself."

— The reply of Russia in regard to the European Congress proposed by the Emperor Napoleon is published. The reply expresses an ardent desire for the pacification of Europe by an understanding between the Sovereigns; but says it is indispensible that the Emperor of the French should define the questions upon which an understanding would have to be arrived at, and the basis upon which such an understanding should be established.

—Mrs. Seaton, wife of Mr. Seaton, of the *National Intelligencer*, died in Washington on the 23d. Her age was seventy-four years.

— The managers of the great Sanitary Fair, in progress at Cincinnati, expect to realize $300,000.

Monetary & Commercial.

MONETARY.

[By Telegraph.]

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, December 29—1 P. M.

Gold 52¾.

COMMERCIAL.

[By Telegraph.]

New York Market.

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Proclamation of the Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA.
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SAINT PAUL, Nov. 21, 1863.

To aid our soldiers in the field, and to hasten the termination of civil war, the President of the United States has by Proclamation of the 17th October ult., called for 300,000 volunteers to serve for a term not exceeding three years.

Under this call Minnesota will be required to furnish for its quota at least three thousand men.

The Proclamation of the President assures us, that, if this quota is not raised before the 5th day of January next, "the draft shall commence" on that day.

In addition to this, we owe under the late call for 20 per cent. of the first class of enrolled national forces 1,207 men.

The Secretary of War has authorized us to cancel this debt by raising a Regiment of Cavalry, which it is understood shall be employed in the frontier service so long as it shall be necessary to protect us against the incursions of hostile savages.

The slow progress which has been already made in filling this regiment, imperatively necessary for the protection of lives and property on our border, gives faint hope of success in raising the number requisite to avoid a draft.

If in addition to the fact that this regiment is to be used in our own service and to provide for the security of our own families, it is necessary to offer further inducements to enlist, I recommend that the several counties and townships of the State pay such bounties as may be required to secure speedy enlistments in the Second Cavalry Regiment.

It should be a matter of State pride to fill this regiment at an early day.

The bounty offered by Government is $102 for each recruit, and the State authorities will endeavor to have it increased to $302, the amount offered to those enlisting in the old regiments.

Whether this application is successful or not, there should be no delay in supplying a force necessary for the safety and prosperity of our State, to be paid and supported by the National Government.

The present call for 300,000 men is intended especially to fill the ranks of decimated regiments now in the field.

We have in this State about 30,000 men enrolled as State Militia. If the energy and enthusiasm heretofore manifested by the people of this State still live, we can easily furnish the number required from us to end this terrible war, amounting only to one in ten of our State troops.

The bounty offered by the Government is munificent, and sufficient to enable men in any condition of life to devote themselves to the work.

It is not probable that the war will last for two years, and $102 bounty to veterans and $302 to new recruits, besides the regular pay and rations is as much as laboring men can expect to realize in the pursuit of any ordinary branch of industry.

But there are higher motives to induce our people to respond heartily and promptly to the demands of the Government.

Peace can only come as the result of victory over the rebels in arms. We have the power, the men and munitions, to win the victory. The more readily we furnish them, the earlier will be the end of the struggle.

Our regiments now in the field have shed an immortal lustre upon our State. History furnishes no parallel to their heroic achievements, and in whatever portion of the Union a citizen of Minnesota may go, he feels himself surrounded with the glory they have won.

Now, on the very eve of final victory, the patriotic people of this State will not leave them with their thinned ranks, to fight this battle alone.

Such a war "costs treasure and blood," but its speedy and triumphant conclusion "will richly compensate for both."

An effort is being made to have each township in the State credited with the number of men it has heretofore furnished, or may furnish, for the service.

The result will be made public as soon as it is known, by this Department.

The time for action in this matter is very short, and I ask the people of Minnesota to use every influence that patriotism or money can exert, to sustain her proud position, and save her from the impending draft.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the State to be affixed, at St. Paul, this
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Members of Congress not to Act as Counsel Against the Government.

In order to prevent such cases as Senator Hale's occurring again, Senator Wade has introduced the following bill, which covers the whole ground:

"No member of the Senate or of the House of Representatives of the United States shall, during his continuance in office, hereafter appear or act as counsel, attorney or agent, in any case or proceeding, civil, criminal, military or naval, or before any commission in which the United States is a party, or directly or indirectly interested, or receive any compensation of any kind directly or indirectly for services of any description rendered by himself or another in relation to any such cause or proceeding; and no member of the Senate or House of Representatives shall, during his continuance in office, receive or agree to receive any compensation whatever, directly or indirectly for any services rendered to another person either by himself or another in relation to any proceeding, contract, claim, controversy, charge, accusation, arrest, or any matter or thing in which the United States is a party, or directly or indirectly interested, before any department, bureau, office for any civil, military or naval commission, whatsoever; and any person offending against any provision of this act shall, on conviction thereof, be declared guilty of a misdemeanor, and punished by a fine of not less than ——dollars, and by imprisonment of not less than ——years, and shall be forever hereafter incapable of holding any office of honor, trust or profit under the Government of the United States."

Embezzlement.

Our dispatches a day or two since, announced the arrest of Charles H. Cornwall, Head of the Redemption Bureau, for embezzling government funds. The following was the *modus operandi:*

It has been the custom to have redeemed bills counted in his office, then cut lengthwise, and each of the halves wrapped up separately, labeled and sent to two different offices to be recounted. If these two countings tallied with Mr. Cornwall's return, the money was burned. The burning was done under the supervision of a Committee of Three, of which Mr. Cornwall was one. It now turns out that during the burning Mr. C. had a bad habit of slipping a package of halves into his pocket, noting the denomination, and whether it was the upper or lower half. Then he would take another package of opposite halves but of the same denomination. At the next count he would extract the total amount of his theft from whole bills of like denomination, sending the abstracted halves to be counted a second time. A boy chanced one day to see him slip one of the packages into his pocket, and immediately notified the Treasurer. At the next count the halves were taken from the two offices and compared, when those stolen, not being the actual halves of the same bills, although of the same denomination, were easily detected. The amount thus stolen can only be arrived at by confession, as millions of dollars were burned under the superintendence of Mr. Cornwall and the Committee. The plan was very simple and ingenious, the only dexterity required being to select and pocket the suspective halves of the same denomination without being detected by the other members of the Committee. This was generally done while they were checking the tallies of notes as they were thrown into the furnace.

Mr. Lincoln's Kind-Heartedness.

The Newark (New Jersey) *Advertiser*, referring to the second capture by the rebels, of Benjamin Shultz, of that city, a member of the 8th New Jersey regiment, mentions the following:

"An incident connected with Mr. Shultz illustrates the kind-heartedeess of of Mr. Lincoln. On his return from his former imprisonment, on parole, young Shultz was sent to Camp Parole at Alexandria. Having had no furlough since the war, efforts were made, without success, to get him liberty to pay a brief visit to his friends; but having faith in the warm-heartedness of the President, the young soldier's widowed mother wrote to Mr. Lincoln, stating that he had been in nearly every battle fought by the Army of the Potomac, had never asked a furlough, was now a paroled prisoner and in consequence unable to perform active duties, that two of his brothers had also served in the army, and asking that he be allowed to visit home that she might see him once more. Her trust in the President was not unfounded. He immediately caused a furlough to be given to her son, who, shortly before he was exchanged, visited his family to their great surprise and joy."

Guerrilla Outrages in Southwestern Missouri.

A Springfield (Mo.) correspondent of the St. Louis *Republican*, writing on the 13th inst., says:

"Another horrible affair occurred near here on Friday last. A small detachment of Col. Catherwood's (Sixth) regiment were returning from Newtonia—they had nearly arrived at Little York, when they were approached by what they supposed a company of Federal soldiers, as all were dressed in Federal uniform. As soon as the party, four in number, found they were surrounded by bushwhackers, they attempted to escape—three succeeded, but one was captured and immediately hung to a tree. It appears that since the fight of Catherwood and Coffee at Pineville, the rebels charge Col. Catherwood with killing their unarmed recruits, and swear eternal vengeance against him and his men. They have never failed to murder every man of the Sixth that falls into their hands. At the surrender of Neosho, Coffee demanded the right to shoot all the men of the Sixth captured, and was only prevented by General Shelby from executing one hundred and eighty of them. After the surrender and all had left, he sent back and found one of the Sixth still there. They deliberately led him out and shot him."

A Rebel Letter.

The following letter found in the house of the writer, is from a well-known merchant in Knoxville, who having accumulated a large amount of Confederate money, made a rambling tour into Virginia and other States for the purpose of speculating in negroes, or investing has money in other property. He left Knoxville very suddenly when the Union Army arrived here, carrying away twenty negroes; one of the best of them jumping off the train just as it was starting south. The letter is instructive as showing how little confidence intelligent Southerners have in their own money.

MONTGOMERY, July 16, 1863.—MR. JOHN PARKER, Knoxville, Tenn.—DEAR SIR: We have been deceived in reference to the price of negroes in Missisippi, or we are, as I feared before leaving home, too late. It is very difficult to find any likely negroes for sale. The planters who have gotten their negroes out don't wish to sell them, and what you do find for sale the prices are high. Freed and common negro men are selling at from $2,200 to $2,500; others in proportion. Your brother and myself separated at this place. He went by Mobile, and I went to Selma. When I reached Selma I heard that some man from Mississippi had to come to Montgomery with from 75 to 80 negroes, and it was also stated that they were for sale. I came direct back here, with the view of learning and purchasing, provided I could find them, and the price would do. I find but few negroes upon this market, and what there is are not desirable, and very high. I think of going from here to Columbus, Mississippi, and see what can be done. We cannot get them now so as to make much money until they can be sold higher than they were selling when I left home. W. W. Wallace proposed selling me before I left home two women and four or six children, and I think could be bought low enough. Suppose you see him, and purchase them (keep dark, probably we had better invest our funds) even at high prices. I would prefer investing permanently in good lands at reasonable prices. If you see Dr. Wm. Baker, purchase for me a lot of five acres of land he has adjoining mine, and get the money of my brother Jos. to pay for it, or agree to pay when I return in Confederate money. He offered me the land not long since for $2,000, or he was to pay me something to sell it for that price. am anxious to know whether you have succeeded in getting in the substitute for my son Jos. I wish that matter could be settled up; I feel solicitous about it, and I feel, too, that our whole available force may have to be called out. I feel very much inclined to purchase a negro woman and too little girls on the market here to keep. I am satisfied there is no money in them to trade upon. We have no news from Johnson's army more than you have. I think he will have to fall back if he has not already done so. There is not an adequate force to whip Grant well, I don't think. Confederate money is worse depreciated by the Mississippians, I think, than by our people. I purchased that woman and two children to-day at $6,600 to be sent to you by express to-morrow. She is a splendid seamstress and mantua maker, and has two of as handsome and smart girls as you will meet up with ("meet up with" is good) anywhere. If you are not satisfied with the investment I will take them. Despondency seems to pervade many people down here, and they don't seem to know how to price their property in Confederate money, I would like to hear from you and from home. You might write me at Montgomery.

Very respectfully, W. W. WALKER.

More Rebel Piracy—Attempt to Seize a Detroit Steamer.

The Detroit *Tribune* of Monday publishes the following:

"Captain Stringleman, of the new steamtug Sentinel, which left this port for New York last month, returned to Detroit yesterday. Captain Stringleman informs us of a circumstance which occurred in Montreal, calling strongly to mind the desperate affair which resulted in the steamer Chesapeake coming for a short time in possession of rebel pirates.

"The Sentinel reached Montreal on Saturday, November 21st, and on Sunday she attracted considerable attention while lying in the harbor by her neat appearance, with her colors gaily flaunting in the breeze. On Monday twelve men came on board and applied for passage to Picton, N. S. Captain Stringleman informed them that they were on the wrong boat, and stated that the Prince Albert, which was then in port, was bound for Picton, and would no doubt accommodate them. Upon consultation among themselves the party withdrew, but returned soon after, and urgently renewed their request for a passage. They were informed that the Sentinel was built principally for towing purposes, and had no accommodations for passengers, but this seemed only to render them still more importunate. They assured Capt. S. that they were accustomed to rough usage, and could sleep as well in the fire hold as upon the most downy couch, and, as an extra inducement, threw out significant hints about some choice packages of fluids which they would bring aboard, provided they could be accommodated. As the men thus anxious to accept quarters in the fire hold were as well dressed and most of them wore kid gloves, a suspicion of their real design flashed upon the mind of Capt. S., and he inquired it the cold northern climate which they were in was not rather severe on their southern blood? This question seemed to disconcert them, and after a pause one of them replied that the climate was rather severe—that they were residents of Bermuda, but preferred taking the overland route home from Pictou. They soon after retired sullenly from the boat, and were not seen again.

"The crew of the Sentinel consisted of ten men, but that number unarmed would have stood but a sorry chance in a contest with twelve desperadoes armed to the teeth.

"Captain Stringleman informs us that the inhabitants of Picton are remarkably friendly to our Government. They receive their supplies from this country, and their relations with American merchants appear to be of the most cordial character. They have had some dealings with rebels, but invariably speak of them with contempt and aversion."

The Story of a Female Spy.

An allusion in a speech made at a Sanitary Fair meeting in Cincinnati on Monday night to the work performed by our women in the national cause, called up General Rosecrans, who narrated a very interesting account of a female spy, who came to his headquarters more than a year ago and stated that she felt it her duty to offer her services to penetrate the lines of the enemy and examine its condition &c., adding that she hoped the general would allow her permission to go upon that errand. After considerable importunity she was allowed to go, and by virtue of being an actress, she succeeded, although generally speaking she was not an actress. After having been absent a long time, there began to be considerable anxiety for her return, but, although waiting patiently to see her and learn her discoveries, she came not. When the Federal army took possession of Shelbyville, Tennessee, they found this woman in prison, condemned to death as a spy, and waiting her fate like a patriot and hero. She had been rescued just in time to save her from the doom that awaited her. She was immediately sent to Nashville, where she was lying sick for a number of months. This (Monday) morning, said General Rosecrans, "I received a card bearing her name, and I had an interview with her." She had been washing in Cincinnati for two weeks, in order thereby to raise means to send her to her friends, now residents of New York. He asked the meeting to assist him in contributing to this poor woman's necessities that she might pay her board, &c., and reach the home of her friends. A handsome collection was at once raised and will be given her by the General.

The Libby Prison Plot.

There has been a singular omission in the papers (so far as I have noticed,) to refer to the details of the plan for liberating our prisoners in Richmond, the discovery of which produced such a sensation at the rebel capital. That there was such a plan, is, I suppose, generally known, but it may not be so well understood that, but for treachery among our own men, it would have been a success.

The plan was well arranged throughout the several prisons; the co-operation of the cavalry from Yorktown was secured; the time for the attempt was fixed, when suddenly the rebels were found to have full information of every detail.

Our men had long before been suspicious that a certain one of their number—an officer confined in Libby Prison—was playing them false. Many things had become known to the rebel officers in charge, which could only be ascertained, either by putting rebel detectives in our uniform among the prisoners, or by the treachery of some one who sought to gain favor with the keepers by betraying his fellows. The latter belief was entertained by most, and suspicion generally fasted on one man; whether he was guilty or not he has great reason to dread the day of his exchange.—*Wash. Cor. Cin. Gazette.*

Tom King, the King of the British Prize Ring.

From the Sunday Mercury.

This athlete was born in Silver street, Stepney, London, in 1836. Stands six feet two inches and a half in hight, and weighs thirteen stone (183 pounds.) His first appearance in the P. R. was with Tommy Truckle of Portsmouth, whom he defeated. King has been a sailor, and previous to the meeting between him and Truckle received forfeit from Smith of Portsmouth, and Clamp of Newgate Market (who is now matched with Harry Brunton's unknown.) This brings us to his first fight with Mace, and the Championship of England rested undisturbed with the latter, but many asserted that it was only mere accident that King could not consummate his success. Every old ring-goer can fully appreciate the feeling that is almost ever revolving in the impulsive system of organization of candidates for the Championship of England.

Even from Figg's time—the first in the head roll of pugilistic champions—we doubt not that the position of the dominant holder of the title or belt was judiciously scrutinized by some ambitious follower of the art of boxing, who desired no greater boon than to be allowed to take up a champion's gauntlet. How soon and how surely vaulting ambition overleaps itself is as familiar to us as household words. *Veni, vidi, vici,* is not the language which every practitioner adventuring into the arena for our leading P. R. trophy, can lay with flattering unction to himself. Yet, despite the difficult nature of such an ordeal, there exist members of our gladiatorial circle who (leaning to the very feasible doctrine that there are as many good fish yet in the sea as ever were transplanted from the deep waters) shrink not from the task, and in the pride of strength and manhood recur to cartel for the championship as a *sine qua non* in their pistal career.

King converted the title upon the strength, firstly, of his performances with Tommy Truckle, who, as regards fighting, must unquestionably be deemed to have passed into decadence; and next, of his battle with Young Broome, otherwise Evans. These were the only public actions in which he was engaged—bringing them off with the desired success of his partisans; and then came his tutelage under the hand of that well-known general, Nat. Langham, with the battle-royal or "sensation" fight. King has had little more experience in the prize-ring than John Heenan, is a good fighter, and a game man, and had much improved his style and quickness up to his contest with Mace, who, it will be remembered, he defeated by a terrible blow, well delivered, and at the proper moment. Like Heenan, he has also been attached for many months to a circus, exhibiting and sparring, and thereby becoming quite proficient in the niceties of the art of self-defense. He is, withal, a quick, shrewd fighter, with tremendous strength and power to back him.

The Dinner to Schuyler Colfax.

Samuel Wilkinson, Esq., of the New York *Times*, presided at the "press dinner," given to Speaker Colfax, and made the opening speech from which we take the following extract:

Eighteen years ago, at one o'clock of a winter moon-lighted morning, while the horses of the stage-coach in which I was plowing the thick mud of Indiana were being changed at the tavern in South Bend, I walked the foot-way of the principal street to shake off a great weariness. I saw a light through a window. A sign, "The Register," was legible above it, and I saw through the window a man in his shirt sleeves walking quickly about like one that worked. I paused, and looked, and imagined about the man, and about his work, and about the lateness of the hour for which it was protracted; and I wondered if he was in debt, and was struggling to get out, and if his wife was expecting him and had lighted a new candle for his coming, and if he was very tired. A coming step interrupted this idle dreaming. When the walker reached my side I joined him, and as he went I asked him questions, and naturally they were about the workman in the shirt sleeves. "What sort of a man is he?" "He is very good to the poor; he works hard; he is sociable with all people; he pays his debts; he doesn't drink whisky; folks depend on him; all this part of Indiana believes in him." From that day to this I have never taken up the South Bend *Register* without thinking of this eulogy, and envying the man who had justly entitled himself to it in the dawn of his manhood.

That man when 25 years of age, and again when 29 years old, was sent by his neighbors to the National Presidential Conventions—when 27 years old he was sent by his neighbors as a wise political reformer to the Constitutional Convention of the State of Indiana—was sent by the same neighbors to Congress in the year 1854, and kept there by them from that day to this. On the first Monday of this month of December the Republicans of the House of Representatives unanimously elected him the Speaker of that body.

—A rebel dispatch from Bristol, Tennessee, 19th, admits that in the fight at Bean Station, on the 14th inst., the rebels lost eight hundred in killed and wounded, but says that the Federals fell back toward Knoxville.

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The undersigned, having been duly appointed by the Probate Court of Ramsey County, Commissioners to receive, examine and audit all claims against the estate of Nicholas Heavey, deceased, hereby give notice that all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are required to present them to said Commissioners within six months from the 18th day of November, 1863, or be forever barred.

The Commissioners will meet on the first Friday of each month at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of E. C. Lambert, Third street, in the city of St. Paul.

Dated November 17th, 1863.

J. Q. A. WARD,
JAS. D. SKINNER,
Commissioners of the estate of
w no18-4w Nicholas Heavey, deceased.

CHANCERY SALE—CIRCUIT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA—NINTH CIRCUIT—IN AND FOR THE DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA—ss.

Charles A. Edgerton and Apollos C. Edgerton, as the Executors of the last will and testament of Gurden H. Edgerton, deceased, vs. Justus C. Ramsey, Alexander Ramsey and John P. Owens.

FORECLOSURE IN CHANCERY.

Decree, June Term, A. D. 1863—$1,363 50, with interest, at the rate of seven per cent. per annum costs and expenses of sale.

Pursuant to the decretal order of said Court, made in this cause at the June Term, thereof, A. D. 1863, the undersigned, a Special Master in Chancery, appointed by said Court, to execute said decretal order, will sell at public auction, to the highest cash bidder, on

SATURDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1864,

At eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the front entrance to the place of holding said Court, in Brown's Block, Third street, in the city of Saint Paul, in said District of Minnesota:

The following described lands and tenements lying and being in the city of St. Paul, County of Ramsey, and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to wit: The undivided one-half of lots number fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), and eighteen (18), in block number twenty-eight (28), in Rice & Irvine's Addition to Saint Paul; also, lot number fourteen (14), in block number twenty-seven, in Rice & Irvine's Addition to Saint Paul, together with all and singular the appurtenances and hereditaments thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

H. E. MANN,
Special Mastery in Chancery
W. K. GASTON, Plaintiffs' Solicitor.
St. Paul, Min., Nov. 16, 1863. w no18 6w

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Leaves Manomin	8:10 A. M.	Leaves Manomin	4:15 P. M.
Arrive at Coon Creek	8:30 A. M.	Arrive at Coon Creek	4:35 P. M.
Leaves Coon Creek	8:35 A. M.	Leave Coon Creek	4:40 P. M.
Leaves Manomin	9:05 A. M.	Leaves Manomin	5:00 P. M.
Leaves St. Anthony	9:30 A. M.	Leaves St. Anthony	5:30 P. M.
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The above time table will give passengers coming to Saint Paul upon the morning, and leaving upon the evening train, about five hours for business in the city.

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Legal Notices.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE BY ADMINISTRATOR.

License having been duly granted by the Probate Court in and for the county of Ramsey, and State of Minnesota, to sell the lands hereinafter described, belonging to the estate of Seth P. Spencer, deceased, to satisfy the debts against the said estate:

Now, therefore, I do hereby give notice that under and pursuant to the order of the said Court, I will offer for sale and will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the Court House, in the city of St. Paul, in the said county of Ramsey, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on Wednesday, the thirtieth day of December, A. D. 1863, in the order named, the following described pieces and parcels of land situate in said county of Ramsey, to wit:

The south-east quarter of the north-west quarter, containing forty-acres; also, the north-east quarter of the south-west quarter, containing forty acres; also, the north-west quarter of the south-east quarter, containing forty-acres; also, the north east quarter of the south-east quarter, containing forty acres; all of said tracts being in section numbered eighteen, in township number-ed thirty, of range numbered twenty-three; with the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances belonging or in anywise appertaining to the said tracts.

Dated Saint Paul, December 7th, 1863.

ROBERT P. LEWIS,
Administrator of the estate of
tu dec8-3w Seth P. Spencer, deceased.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the application of the Minneapolis, Faribault and Cedar Valley Railroad Company for the appointment of three Commissioners to examine and assess the damages which may be sustained by the several owners or claimants of the lands through which the road of said Company (the St. Paul branch) is located within the county of Ramsey in the State of Minnesota, by reason of the appropriation of such lands for Railroad purposes by said Company:

To the several owners and claimants of the lands in this notice mentioned, or of any part thereof, and to all and every person or persons having or claiming any estate, right or interest in any portion of such lands: You and each of you are hereby notified that an application will be made by and in behalf of the Minneapolis, Faribault and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, to the Hon. Edward C. Palmer, Judge of the District Court, of the Second Judicial District, of the State of Minnesota, at the Court House, in the city of Saint Paul, in said Ramsey County, on the thirteenth day of January, A. D. 1864, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, for the appointment of three Commissioners to examine and assess the damages which may be sustained by the several owners and claimants of the several pieces, parcels, lots or tracts of land, through or upon which the road of said Company, to wit: the St. Paul branch thereof, is located in said county of Ramsey, by reason of the appropriation and taking thereof by said Company, for Railroad purposes, to wit: for the right of way for their said road, the necessary turnouts, sites for water buildings, conduits, tanks, depots, stere-houses, machine and other shops, and extra tracks necessary therefor, and to ascertain and fix the compensation to be paid therefor by said Company.

The following is a description of the lands within the said county of Ramsey, through or upon which said road is located, and which is sought to be taken and appropriated for the purposes aforesaid:

In Rice & Irvine's Addition to St. Paul.

Part of lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, in block 36.
Part of lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 37.
The whole of block 38.
The whole of block 39.
The whole of block 40.
Part of lots 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, in block 41.
The whole of block 43.
Part of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, in block 44.
Part of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 11, in block 45.
The whole of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, in block 46.
The whole of block 47.
The whole of block 48.
The whole of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, in block 49.

In Irvine's Enlargement.

Part of lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, and the whole of lots 17 to 25, inclusive, in block 68. Also, the strip of land lying between lots 8 and 9, in said block 68, and the whole of blocks 69 and 70.

In Leach's Addition to St. Paul.

Part of lot 7, in block 7.

In Winslow's Addition to St. Paul.

Part of lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, in block 14.
Part of lots 4, 5 and 6, in block 15.
Part of block 17.

In Stinson, Brown & Ramsey's Addition to St. Paul.

Part of the south half of block 15.
Part of lot 11, in the north half of block 15.
Part of block 16.
Part of lots 11, 12, 28, 29, 30, 59, 60, 61, 63, 64 and 65, in the *sub-division* of block 28.
Part of lots 2, 3, 4 and 5, in the *sub-division* of block 29.

ALSO, Part of the s e ¼ of the s e ¼ of sec. 1, of township 28, range 23, and part of the n w ¼ of the n e ¼ of sec. 12, of the same township and Range.

H. R. BIGELOW, Attorney for the
M., F. & C. V. R. R. Co., St. Paul, Minn.
Dated December 12th, A. D. 1863. dec12-td

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Our aim is to keep in store a well selected and COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF GOODS.

We feel that thus far our efforts have been duly appreciated, and trusting a continuance of patronage, we renew our endeavors.

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Our BURNING OILS we notice especially, and ask a trial of its merits. The Oil that is most DURABLE, giving the same light, is of course

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D. W. INGERSOLL & CO.,

Are now receiving an extensive stock of

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Late Cash Sales in New York

Consisting in part of

MUSLIN DE LAINES,

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LADIES' LONG AND SQUARE

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In every variety.

Cloakings, Balmoral Skirts,

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Consisting of English and German Cotton, Woollen and Worsted Hose.

LADIES & CHILDREN'S BALMORAL HOSE.

White and mixed

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ALL COUNTRY MERCHANTS who purchase

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Gent's Furnishing Goods,

AT THE STORE OF

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FINE BEAVER.....$14, $18 and $25.
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We have now in store one of the largest stocks of Clothing in the State Our goods have been bought so that we can give bargains. Those in want of any article in our line would do well to give us a call.

my30-tf **W. H. TEMPLE.**

CHRISTMAS

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And some will wish they had got their supply to

FILL THE CHILDREN'S STOCKINGS,

Before the last days.

AT KELLOGG'S

There is plenty of Toys, and by giving a little time or notice, he will supply the whole country.

NOW IS YOUR TIME.

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Subsistence and Transportation will be furnished to every recruit from the date of enlistment.

Persons desiring to enlist in this company can get any particulars by applying to, or addressing M. C. RUSSELL, Belle Plaine, or Maj. L. L. BAXTER, Shakopee.

M. C. RUSSELL,
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Cream Pale Ale,

LAGER BEER,

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Thermometrical Record.

KEPT BY DAY & JENKS, DRUGGISTS, CORNER OF THIRD AND CEDAR STREETS.

DECEMBER.	7:30 A. M.	1 P. M.	6 P. M.
1 Tuesday	25	41	37
2 Wednesday	28	42	35
3 Thursday	29	46	42
4 Friday	23	38	27
5 Saturday	10	26	22
6 Sunday	20	41	33
7 Monday	36	40	39
8 Tuesday	34	36	34
9 Wednesday	29	34	34
10 Thursday	32	36	35
11 Friday	36	32	28
12 Saturday	29	32	30
13 Sunday	14	18	14
14 Monday	10	13	10
15 Tuesday	1	12	13
16 Wednesday	14	20	21
17 Thursday	24	20	13
18 Friday	1	10	7
19 Saturday	10*	5	4
20 Sunday	10	18	13
21 Monday	8	30	28
22 Tuesday	28	36	32
23 Wednesday	29	32	32
24 Thursday	22	32	30
25 Friday	26	31	30
26 Saturday	29	32	38
27 Sunday	26	32	36
28 Monday	29	29	24
29 Tuesday	2*	29	4

*Below Zero.

THE CITY.

THE BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL FESTIVAL.—The Anniversary Festival and "Christmas Tree" of the Baptist Sunday School last night, was one of the most entertaining and interesting exhibitions that was ever got up in the city. Ingersoll's Hall was crowded to its utmost capacity. The stage was decorated with two large Christmas Trees, loaded with cornucopias of confectionery, and presents for the little ones. The entire school was seated on the stage, and under the lead of their teachers, sang several interesting songs. Declamations and dialogues were also introduced.

One or two interesting episodes occurred during the evening. Horace Thompson, Esq., who is the teacher of the Bible class, was presented by the members of his class with a handsome book, and made a very interesting speech in reply. Lieut. Prescott, the Superintendent of the school, was also presented through Mr. Pope, the Pastor, with an elegant Photograph Album, containing the portraits of most of the teachers, and the Pastor and family. Lieut. Prescott was quite overcome by the testimonial, and could only press the hand of his Pastor, a sign of feeling that could not be uttered.

The crowning event of the evening was stripping the Christmas Trees of their tempting fruits. The latter were labeled, and handed to the scholars, the younger ones receiving cornucopias of candy, dolls and toys, and the elder ones books. The whole was planned and gotten up on a liberal scale, and reflects high credit as the managers of the Festival.

McPHAIL'S STAR PIANO.—We desire to call attention to the above named instrument, an agency of which has recently been established in St. Paul. From personal knowledge, we can testify that this instrument is rightly termed "Star." In brilliancy and power of tone, and in adaptation as an accompaniment to the human voice it is unequalled. We are not alone in this opinion, as is shown by the following extracts.

The Rochester City *Post*, edited by our musical friend, Secretary Blakely, says:

Until quite recently we have been of the decided opinion that Steinway & Sons made the best piano in the world. We have, however, lately experienced a "change," and give in our verdict at the present time in favor of McPhail's Star Piano, as fully equal in all respects to the best of the Steinway make. For purity, brilliance, distinctness, power and depth of tone, McPhail's Star Piano is unsurpassed. *So say we who have tried and tested it.*

The La Crosse *Democrat* says:

Tuesday afternoon it was our rare good fortune to listen for an hour or more to a test of the celebrated McPhail star pianos at the hands of Mrs. Wilder, Professors Hoffman and Moeller of this city. It is the equal of Steinway's in all respects—its superior in some. There is a sotness and harmony of tone, an accuracy of mechanism, a perfect yielding to the slightest pressure, a clear, silver-bell like echo or continuation of sound—a distinctness of music about them truly wonderful and never before attained in a piano. Unlike most other pianos, they are as well adapted to the voice as an organ. Professors Moeller and Hoffman pronounce it superior to the Steinway, easier to play, sweeter in general tone, and by all odds the best instrument in the city.

Hon. E. S. Youmans of Winona, who has recently purchased a Star Piano, writes that, "it has given abundant satisfaction. Every one who has performed on it since I have had it, speak in the highest terms of the purity of its tones and its wonderful power."

We have seen letters from musical celebrities in Wisconsin, Illinois and Iowa containing the highest encomiums for McPhail's Star Piano.

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THE ATLANTIC FOR JANUARY.—The leading article in the January *Atlantic* is by George E. Ellis, who gives an account of "Governor John Winthrop in Old England." Miss Prescott follows with "Ray," a spirited story of the war and the South. Mrs. Stowe, in one of her "House and Home" papers, treats of the "Ravages of a Carpet." Professor Agassiz gives a scientific, yet most interesting description of the "External Appearances of Glaciers." The author of "Life in the Iron Mills," contributes a Christmas story called "Stephen Yarrow"; Gail Hamilton has an amusing biographical essay entitled "My Book," and Oliver W. Holmes devotes a few pages to complimenting Henry Ward Beecher on the success of his recent European tour. The political article of this number is by C. C. Hazwell, who reviews the military position, and sees in the third year of the rebellion the "Beginning of the End."

Poetry is represented in the January *Atlantic* by Mr. Longfellow's version of "Three Cantos of Dante's Paradise," by Mr. Bryant's "Planting of the Apple Tree," and by "*Memoriæ Positum*," a dirge by James Russell Lowell to the memory of a lost friend.

THE DEATH OF ANDREW LEVERING.—A letter received by Judge Lambert, from Philadelphia, announces the death of Lieut. Andrew Levering, of General Sully's staff, at Sioux City, Iowa, on the 16th inst.

Lieut. Levering was well known in St. Paul, where he was formerly a real estate operator. When the war broke out he was the first to enlist as a private in Company A, First Regiment (the Pioneer Guards,) in which position he remained until about a year since, when he was appointed a Lieutenant by General Sully.

Lieut. Levering was a brave and faithful soldier, and both in private life and in the army had hosts of friends. He was a native, we learn, of Philadelphia.

DAVENPORT has received the Atlantic and Leslie's Magazine for January 1864. Davenport is about these day's and will close out his photographic albums and juvenile books very LOW. Those that wish to make presents this week. Make note of this. This is the last week of the old year. Go to Davenport.

A MAN, or what is left of a man, who is styled in the City Directory as "Rev. Joseph Edward Freygang, D. D., Professor of Ancient and Modern Languages and Natural Sciences," was up before Squire Gibbs yesterday. The police picked him up during the previous night, in a state of drunk, with a liability to freeze. In view of his tender years and profession, he was suffered to depart without a fine. The Directory declares another important fact, and that is, that the Rev. Joseph lives on Temperance Street. He must have fallen from grace very bad to have thus belied his local habitation.

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THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEETING.—The meeting of the Historical Society last night in order to confer with Capt. J. L. Fisk concerning the advantages of a northern route to the Idaho gold mines, and the best manner of opening such a route to it through Minnesota, was well attended. We have in hand a full sketch of the very interesting remarks of Capt. Fisk, and will give them in tomorrow's paper.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.—The Treasurer of Saint Paul's Church gives notice that the semi-annual church dues are payable on January 1st, and that he will collect them next week. He hopes there will be a prompt response to this call.

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SAINT PAUL, THURSDAY, DEC. 31.

THE NEWS.

General Butler's efforts to secure an exchange of prisoners has proved a failure, and the negotiations again revert to General Hitchcock. In the meantime the rebels refuse to receive provisions for our starving prisoners from the Government, but will receive private donations.

A correspondent of the Boston *Herald* wants to bet $1,000 that Charleston will be captured in sixty days, IF everything works right. We are inclined to think that everything won't work.

The official, figures of the rebel loss at Chickamauga, are published exclusively in a Philadelphia paper and stand, killed 2,299; dangerously wounded 4,789; slightly wounded 10,500; missing 1,950; total loss, 19,529.

One correspondent states that Secretary Chase will ask authority to issue more 5-20 bonds, and another that no more 5-20 bonds will be issued but a direct loan will be made. This is "news made easy," and our readers can take their choice as to which they will receive.

Justice Taney is seriously ill, but was better yesterday morning.

Gold opened in New York yesterday at 52 1-2, and closing quiet at 51 7-8a52.

THE SUPPLY TRAIN STOPPED AT YANKTON.

The rumor which we published yesterday, to the effect that the soldiers of the Sixth regiment who accompanied the supply train to Fort Thompson, had reached Fort Ridgely, on their return, proves to have been incorrect.

John Wagner, a boy eighteen years old, who accompanied the expedition as teamster, reached here yesterday. He reached his home at Mankato by way of Sioux City on the 25th. According to his report he left the expedition about twenty miles beyond Sioux City.

They were ordered to stop at Yankton and go into winter quarters, by the Colonel of the 6th Iowa Cavalry, commanding that district. The men were all well, but very much disappointed at not being permitted to come home.

This boy took the stage and was twenty days on the route. The party was caught by the snow storm of the 15th, and for two days were lost on the prairie. They were without food, and were compelled to remain in the stage.

He states that the soldiers stationed on the Missouri at Fort Thompson, and the Indians were on half rations when the expedition arrived.

Capt. Whitney left Fort Thompson on the 5th of December and intended to return by way of Sioux City. The order for him to halt reached him on the 9th. The Captain endeavored to escape it but failed as the express messengers overtook him.

—Leavenworth, Kansas, is said to be growing more rapidly than any town in the West. It now has a population of between fifteen and twenty thousand.

—An extra session of the Michigan legislature is to be held to consider the subject of state bounties for soldiers and also the question of soldier's voting.

—There is no scarcity of recruits in Massachusetts, but they are held back by interested parties in order to obtain a larger bonus. The authorities of a town in the vicinity of Boston were offered the other day a sufficient number of volunteers in one lot to fill the entire quota of eighty, upon the payment of the sum of eight thousand dollars. The offer was declined.

—Some time ago, it will be remembered, a number of the students of the University of Michigan participated in a Vallandigham demonstration in Canada. The affair was widely noticed at the time, and gave rise to doubts as to the loyalty of this institution of learning. Very fortunately the Vallandigham men did not comprise a twentieth part of the students in attendance, and the majority seeing the mischief that was done took steps to correct it. On the 5th inst. they met in mass convention, over seven hundred strong, and passed a series of resolutions strongly denouncing the act of the Vallandighamers, and declaring unqualified hostility to all men and parties opposed to the Government.

STATE NEWS.

DODGE COUNTY.

Accident.—We learn that Mr. James Paul, a resident of Wasioja, was seriously, if not fatally, injured by the falling of a tree, while chopping in the woods on Wednesday last.—*Mantorville Express.*

CHISAGO COUNTY.

We are informed that a man by the name of Samuel Thompson, of Chisago Lake, was so badly injured a few days since while working in the pineries, by a log rolling upon him, as to render it impossible to remove him from camp.—*Taylor's Falls Reporter.*

Monetary & Commercial.

MONETARY.

[By Telegraph.]

New York Money Market.

New York, December 30—1 P. M.

Gold 52¼.

SECOND DISPATCH.

New York, December 30—6 P. M.

Money firm, and good demand at 7 per cent.

Sterling quiet at 166½@167.

Gold lower—opening at 52¼, and closing quiet at 51¾@52.

Government stocks firm.

Stocks steady.

COMMERCIAL.

[By Telegraph.]

New York Market.

New York, Dec. 29—1 P. M.

Flour quiet and steady.

Grain—Wheat quiet and firm—$1 44@1 48 for Chicago spring; $1 46@1 50 for Milwaukee club; $1 53@1 58 for winter red western. Corn firm—$1 30 in store. Oats quiet at 93@91c.

Pork unchanged and quiet.

Lard scarcely so firm—12@13c.

THIRD DISPATCH.

New York, Dec. 30—6 P. M.

Flour steady and firm.

Wheat unchanged and moderate demand.

IDAHO!

An Account of the Bannock Gold Mines, their Location, Productiveness and Population.

THE NORTHERN ROUTE VIA ST. PAUL AND BIG STONE LAKE.

It is Shorter by 800 Miles than the Omaha Route and Vastly Superior to any other.

Saint Paul the Cheapest Out-Fitting Point for Emigrants.

Report of an Interesting Address to the Historical Society and Chamber of Commerce by Captain James. - Fisk, Leader of two Successful Trains to the Mines.

The meeting of the Historical Society on Tuesday evening at the Library Room, to listen to a lecture, or an explanation by Capt. Fisk, of his new route to the Idaho Gold Mines *via* Abercombie, Lake Jessie and Fort Benton was well attended by our citizens and prominent business men. Capt. Fisk gave a full and interesting description of his route, and of the Mining regions on the eastern slope of the Rocky Mountains, referring to a large map before him. A paper containing some questions was submitted to him, and he took them up and answered them in turn.

THE LOCATION OF THE MINES.

The Bannock City Mines are on latitude 44° 30 min., and the Virginia City Mines about 45° 30 min. They are both situated in the Horse-Shoe Bend of the Rocky Mountains, as it is termed, a vast deflection in that chain, making a grand basin, with a temperate climate. These mines are due west from Saint Paul.

THE BEST ROUTE TO THE MINES.

"The best route to the mines I consider is the one in which the two expeditions in my charge travelled. It looks somewhat crooked as traced out on the map, *but is really nearer by 300 miles than any other route.* It was nearly as high as the 49th parallel, remaining at its most northerly point 15 miles this side of the International Boundary. We travelled this year over a better route than last year, as we avoided the Milk River Valley, which has alkali water. The route we pursued had good (natural) roads, plenty of water, good grazing, and is several days shorter than the one I pursued in 1861.

WHY IT IS THE BEST ROUTE.

On my return from the mines, I came back by way of Salt Lake and Atchison, the great southern route to the mines. Fully 100,000 emigrants start from Omaha, Atchison, &c., every year for the mines. For 700 miles of the way they travel through a sandy, barren desert, producing only sage bushes and alkali water. All along that route are the graves of poor emigrants who have died of its hardships, while the plains are literally speckled with the carcasses of their beasts. The road for 700 miles is one vast cemetery! I would not for the sake of a fortune risk taking a party over it. The dangers are too great. A large percentage of every party die on the way, and all suffer incredible hardships. Yet people go that way because they do not know of any other. Fremont went that way—the California and Mormon emigrants went that way, and everybody will follow till they know of a better route opened.

THE ST. PAUL AND ABERCROMBIE ROUTE.

In our Northern route there are no such risks and dangers and hardships as via Atchison and Denver. We have plenty of water, wood and grass. Cattle thrive well on the route, and the men come through strong and hearty. Out of about 1,000 who have gone over that route, *only one died on the way, and he was an invalid* who went for his health!

THE NORTHERN ROUTE NEARER THAN ANY OTHER.

Our route is by way of Fort Abercrombie, Lake Jessie, Butte de Morale, Coteau du Missouri, Milk River River (which we avoided to the Northward this year) Fort Benton, and thence by Mullin's Pass to the gold mines in Deer Lodge Valley. The distance—

	Miles.
From St. Paul to Ft. Abercrombie is	260
" Abercrombie to Ft Benton "	800
" Benton to Deer Lodge Valley "	182
" Deer Lodge Valley to Bannock City	107
" Bannock N. E. to Virginia City is	64

Now compare this route with the Southern route via Atchison,

	Miles.
From St. Paul to Bannock Mines is	1,349
" Omaha or Atchison to do do	1,670
In favor of St. Paul route -	321

EMIGRANT OUTFITS CHEAPER AT SAINT PAUL THAN AT ATCHISON.

I inquired closely at Atchison and Omaha as to the cost of emigrant outfits there, and found that they cost double and treble what the outfits for my two expeditions cost.

A yoke of oxen at Omaha costs	$175,00
do do St. Paul do	75,00
Difference in favor of St. Paul,	$100,00

Other articles of outfit are in similar proportion. Provisions, beef cattle, clothing, mining tools, wagons, ammunition, &c., are all as cheap or cheaper there than at Omaha. We have railroad connections with the east as near as they have there, and all other advantages for emigrants.

THE NORTHERN ROUTE AS A WINTER ROUTE.

I made minute and frequent enquiries from the Half-breed residents and Traders whom I met on my route, whether it can be travelled in winter or not. They replied—can you travel in Minnesota in winter. Of course we do, I answered. Then you can just as well here, was the reply. They say that the route is not obstructed by snows. Snow seldom falls as deep as 20 inches, and the climate becomes milder as you go towards the mountains. Voyagers there tell me they travel it in winter easily, and that their ponies forage for themselves and get fat. Great herds of cattle roam in the valleys, and find plenty of succulent grass under the snow, dry but not frozen.

I would rather travel the St. Paul route in winter than the Omaha route. I have had experience of the latter, and don't like it. They have deep snows there in November, regularly; their snows are always deep, and storms furious. Roads sometimes blockaded for 20 days. Down in that latitude, you will remember, Fremont's party was lost. Our winter climate is far more endurable than theirs, and our summer climate more pleasant.

A Stage Line could be easily placed and operated on the Northern Route. It would require Stations, the same as we have on the route from here to Fort Abercrombie, which is run in the winter easily.

MINERAL RESOURCES OF THE NORTHERN ROUTE.

The Northern route has every resource to induce settlements along it. We found coal at Lake Jessie, 100 miles beyond Abercrombie—a vein outcropping eighteen inches thick; again at Wood Mountains, and at Antelope Creek. The veins here was a huge bank of coal, bituminous and of good quality. It may be nearer to us than that, in the same formation to the west of us in Dakota.

THE IMPORTANCE OF THE ST. PAUL ROUTE.

If we could open a direct wagon road near lat. 45, the entire home travel of the mines would come this way. I was asked by hundreds, "Why don't you Minnesota people open a road to St. Paul!

If we had such a road, we would have a vast returning party via St. Paul. Miners who had made their pile would come this way to purchase farms and buy property, and make it their home. Such a route would be the best one for emigrants to Nevada, Salt Lake, California, Washington and Oregon. Draw a line from New York to the Horse-Shoe gold fields. We almost lie on that line. Saint Paul should be

THE GREAT OUT-FITTING POINT

for the emigration going to these mines. We have the position, the central advantages. Geographically we are the entrepot for that trade. Could we secure it, it would give us new life. Long trains of emigrants would leave here daily in the spring. Stage lines would run from here, and we would be a point of supply for the miners. We should have, to aid us in securing this trade, a *Superior Railroad.* Given us this, and we can draw all the Eastern emigration to Idaho and Nevada, this way. It would be easier to come from Colorado to St. Paul than to Atchison.

WE NEED A DIRECT ROAD.

A nearer route than the one we have travelled would be *via* Big Stone Lake to the Missouri River, and thence along the 45th parallel to the Yellow Stone country. Such a route would bring us within 800 miles of the mines, against 1,670 via of Omaha. My route was 1,349 miles. Such a road would have few physical difficulties to contend with. The rivers are all fordable except the Missouri and Yellow Stone. Ferries would be needed on these, and a military post to protect them. The grade would be light and $50,000 would build such a road.

IT WOULD OPEN A NEW REGION.

Such a road would open a new and rich region, on the Yellowstone and tributaries. It has gold fields, some of them known to be rich ones, and within 500 miles of Saint Paul. But that region is the home of the Blackfeet, Teton Sioux, Crows and other fierce tribes, who must be conquered by bullet and sword. No treaties should be made with them. That day is gone by. Compel peace by the rifle. Chastise them into good conduct, and not purchase their good will. One thousand hardy soldiers, mounted, could protect the country. Their ponies could forage for themselves, and the men subsist on game, &c. Such a force could take and hold all that region, which is rich, and will be a State in a few years. Those who go first will make their fortunes. The miners are even now organising an army of occupation to possess and hold it, and open its mines.

The Yellowstone runs through it, navigable for light draught boats to the mouth of the Big Horn. The climate is mild, and the country must be a great basin, rich in all natural resources.

[We omit Capt Fisk's remarks on the yield of the Bannock City mines, &c., as we have already published those facts.]

HOW SHALL WE GET A ROAD?

An effort should be made to get Government to assist in opening a wagon road along the 45th parallel, and establishing small military posts at the ferries. Could this be done, a great immigration would come this way, giving us a fine market for our products. At Omaha one firm employs $3,000,000 in the outfitting business. Could we have a share of this trade, it would make us what our city should be, the great metropolis of this region.

At the conclusion of Capt. Fisk's interesting address, a vote of thanks was returned by the meeting, and sometime spent in examining a bag full of nuggets gathered by him in the mines.

Enlistments in the State.

BLUE EARTH COUNTY.

From the Mankato Record, 26th.

Company for the Second Cavalry. The efforts to enlist, in this county, a company of cavarly for the new cavalry regiment having proved successful, the men were collected at this place on Wednesday, preparatory to leaving for Fort Snelling. On the evening of that day, a meeting was held in the City Hall, and by a unanimous vote, R. T. Slaughter, Esq., was elected captain. Eighty-four names were then signed to the roll, and the further organization of the company postponed until their arrival at the Fort. Other names were added to the roll, and on Thursday morning the company, numbering in all about 75, started below. The men are generally large and rugged in appearance, and well fitted for frontier service.

The ranks of the company are not yet filled, and persons desiring to enlist will still have an opportunity for doing so.

Town Bounties to Volunteers.—The town of Mankato has guaranteed a bounty of $75 to each person volunteering, and between forty and fifty men will be entitled to that sum each.

South Bend will vote $100 to each volunteer.

Judson has agreed to pay $150 to each volunteer. There are, we believe, only 29 persons enrolled in this town, including both classes. Already thirteen of these have enlisted, leaving only fourteen men in the town, not half of whom are liable to military duty.

In Shelby, $1200 have been voted as bounties to volunteers, each one receiving $100

Under the liberal inducements thus held out, Blue Earth will furnish a large excess over its quota under existing calls.

WINONA COUNTY.

P. J. Nordeen, who has been recruiting in Winona county for the Second Cavalry, started for Fort Snelling yesterday with fourteen recruits, eleven of whom were from the city. He had previously gone up with nine—making twenty-three altogether.—*Winona Republican 28th.*

DAKOTA COUNTY.

Recruiting is still actively going on, and there is every prospect that Lieut. Smith will succeed in filling his company. The $100 city bounty works like a charm, and the quota of Hastings lacks less than a dozen of being filled. The boys leave for the fort this week, preparatory to organizing and electing officers. Success to them.—*Hastings Conserver.*

CHISAGO COUNTY.

Corporal Hebenstreit informs us that he is meeting with good success in recruiting for the Second Cavalry. He has a few sworn in and quite a number that "are a-going to be." His men are mostly from Marine and Chisago county.—*Stillwater Messenger.*

SCOTT COUNTY.

The volunteers recruited at this place will leave on Monday next for Fort Snelling, to be sworn in. There are about forty in number, and it is hoped enough more will come in to increase the number to sixty.—*Shakopee Argus,*

New Advertisements.

WANTED.

Two good Girls, one to do Kitchen work, and one to take care of Children. Apply to Dr. T. WILLIAMS, at his office in Concert Hall, in the forenoon. dec30 3t*

STRAY NOTICE.

Came to my premises on the 11th day of December, a black Bull with white face, about two years old. GEORGE THIRIOT, McLean Township, dec30-2t Residence at Pig's Eye.

AUCTION, AUCTION.

Candles, Starch and Saleratus by the box; Tobacco, Soap, &c., next Saturday, January 2, at 10 o'clock. Also, at same time, a lot of Furniture and other Goods. Sale at our store rooms, one square above the Bridge. dec30-2t FAIRCHILD & CO.

A COMFORTABLE SLEIGH RIDE

Can be had by using the

New Foot Stove.

LAMPS CHEAPER THAN EVER,

Some as low as

THIRTY-FIVE CENTS.

Those usually sold for $1.50, we now sell for $1.25.

E. & H. Y. BELL.

St. Paul, Dec. 29, 1863. dec30

HURRY UP! HURRY UP!

All you Mechanics, that want TOOLS, come right along, and fill up your chests, while you can do it at low prices.

no22-3m JOHN McCLOUD, Brown's Block.

LATEST NEWS, By Telegraph.

BUTLER FAILS TO SECURE AN EXCHANGE.

A $1,000 Prediction from Charleston.

Arrest of Traitors on the New Orleans Steamer.

Re-Enlistment of the Army of the Potomac.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Important Dispatches—More 5-20's Re-enlistments—Failure of Exchange of Negotiation—The Draft—Confiscation—The Chesapeake Affair—Rebel Loss at Chickamaugh—Recruiting in Slave States.

New York, Dec. 30.

Specials are barren of news.

The *Herald's* dispatch states that the flag of truce officer between Fortress Monroe and City Point, arrived here this P. M. by special train from Annapolis with important dispatches for the Government.

In his annual report Secretary Chase asked Congress to repeal the provision directing him to make loans for ten or forty years, and empowering him instead, to negotiate loans on whatever terms he may in his discretion deem best for the public interest. This authority will undoubtedly be given, and the Secretary will have power to issue 300,000,000 more of the popular 5-20 loan. If subscriptions to this loan should continue to come in faster than needed by the Department, it is understood permission will be given to agents to receive subscriptions payable in installments, as the amount shall be required, five per cent only to be deposited as guaranty, thus saving to the government, a large amount of interest.

Since Congress refused to pay the exorbitant bounties expected, enlistments have much increased, and hundreds are arriving here daily. Those who were waiting for an increase of bounty are now coming forward, and in a few weeks, at the present rate, nearly all of the army of the Potomac will have re-enlisted for the war.

Washington, Dec. 29.

[*World's Special.*]—Not a little disappointment is felt at the failure to effect an exchange of prisoners, for Gen. Butler telegraphed here that he was quite sanguine of securing the complete exchange. The whole matter now reverts to Gens. Hitchcock and Meredith. The rebels still permit private donations of provisions to go to our prisoners, but will receive nothing from the Fort in that line.

Washington, Dec. 29.

[*Times' Special.*]—The War Department has under consideration several important questions relating to the draft, which will shortly be made public. The quotas of the several States are being arranged so as to avoid difficulty in the future. Each State will be officially informed of the number of men it is expected to raise, and the time fixed for the enforcement of the draft, which will not be later than the middle of January.

Washington, Dec. 30.

The fire-alarm telegraph patents of John N. Gamewell & Co., which were confiscated, were sold to-day by the U. S. Marshal, and purchased by Jno. F. Kennard & Co., of Boston.

Chief Justice Taney is thought to be somewhat better this morning.

Washington, Dec. 30.

It is not believed here that Secretary Chase will issue more legal tenders though it is stated that both Committees and Congress have expressed the opinion that it would have to be. It is understood that it is his intention to call for a loan.

New York, Dec. 30.

Washington specials say Lord Lyons had a protracted interview to-day with the Secretary of State. The Chesapeake affair is likely to prove a troublesome question.

A dispatch to the Philadelphia *Inquirer* says the official rebel loss at Chickamauga is stated as follows: Killed 2,299; dangerously wounded, 4,780; slightly wounded, 10,500; missing, 1,950.

Washington, Dec. 30.

[*Special to Post.*]—The War Department is understood to be opposed to the proposition made in the Senate to permit the Governors of the free States to fill their quotas under the draft in the slave States.

Lucien Anderson from Kentucky will lecture before the Union League to-night.

FROM CHARLESTON.

Something Wonderful About to Happen and $1,000 Bet on it.

Boston, Dec. 30.

The usually well posted correspondent of the Boston *Herald* writing from the fleet off Charleston, dated 23d, says:

"I see by the papers that there is a good deal of uneasiness because the navy here is idle. Let me say that if the people at the north only knew the reason why we are idle, they would stop grumbling. In due season they will have a chance to rejoice over the doings of the navy before Charleston. To prove that this is no idle statement I am willing to wager $1,000 with any northern grumbler that if everything works according to the plans laid out Charleston will be occupied by the Union forces in sixty days from date."

NEWS FROM MEXICO.

San Francisco, Dec. 29.

A French paper of this city has received news from the city of Mexico to the 7th inst. French troops entered Morelea on the 30th of November without opposition. Gen. Berthier had occupied Acambosoc.

Gen. Rasine was at Colyea, where Gen. Comonfort was assassinated. Gen. Rasine had concentrated 12,000 French troops at Colyea, and Gen. Doni was at Salamanca, 16 leagues from Guanaxuato.

It is stated that the governments of Holland and Spain have recognized the new Mexican government. Gen. Negrette has succeeded Gen. Comonfort as Minister of War of Jaurez.

Rebel Mail Captured—Pirate Arrested.

New York, Dec. 29.

The *Post* says a British lieutenant, who was to sail for Bermuda to-day, was arrested by Marshal Murray and sent to Fort Lafayette. A rebel mail was found concealed in his baggage. The letters were immediately forwarded to Secretary Seward.

Further developments relative to the seizure of the steamer Cromwell and bark Circassian are published. It appears that on the day of the sailing of the Cromwell Marshal Murray arrested H. Segur, formerly U. S. Minister to San Salvador, together with his wife, maid, child and Messrs. G. F. Canby and D. Beres, all of whom were sent to Fort Lafayette. Segur's baggage was searched and a bill of lading found for 55 barrels of lard shipped on board the Circassian. On searching the lard 1,000 navy revolvers were found secreted therein.

Canby and others were arrested, having been found in company with Segur, and on supposition that they knew something of the matter.

The Cincinnati Fair.

Cincinnati, Dec. 30.

The Sanitary Fair closes on Saturday night. The produce and merchandise hall for the reception of donations of merchandise and country produce will continue open until January 9.

Death.

Philadelphia, Dec. 30.

Townsend Sharpless, a well-known merchant of this city, died this morning, aged 71 years.

Proclamation of the Governor.

State of Minnesota.
Executive Department,
Saint Paul, Nov. 21, 1863.

To aid our soldiers in the field, and to hasten the termination of civil war, the President of the United States has by Proclamation of the 17th October ult., called for 300,000 volunteers to serve for a term not exceeding three years.

Under this call Minnesota will be required to furnish for its quota at least three thousand men.

The Proclamation of the President assures us, that, if this quota is not raised before the 5th day of January next, "the draft shall commence" on that day.

In addition to this, we owe under the late call for 20 per cent. of the first class of enrolled national forces 1,207 men.

The Secretary of War has authorized us to cancel this debt by raising a Regiment of Cavalry, which it is understood shall be employed in the frontier service so long as it shall be necessary to protect us against the incursions of hostile savages.

The slow progress which has been already made in filling this regiment, imperatively necessary for the protection of lives and property on our border, gives faint hope of success in raising the number requisite to avoid a draft.

If in addition to the fact that this regiment is to be used in our own service and to provide for the security of our own families, it is necessary to offer further inducements to enlist, I recommend that the several counties and townships of the State pay such bounties as may be required to secure speedy enlistments in the Second Cavalry Regiment.

It should be a matter of State pride to fill this regiment at an early day.

The bounty offered by Government is $102 for each recruit, and the State authorities will endeavor to have it increased to $302, the amount offered to those enlisting in the old regiments.

Whether this application is successful or not, there should be no delay in supplying a force necessary for the safety and prosperity of our State, to be paid and supported by the National Government.

The present call for 300,000 men is intended especially to fill the ranks of decimated regiments now in the field.

We have in this State about 30,000 men enrolled as State Militia. If the energy and enthusiasm heretofore manifested by the people of this State still live, we can easily furnish the number required from us to end this terrible war, amounting only to one in ten of our State troops.

The bounty offered by the Government is munificent, and sufficient to enable men in any condition of life to devote themselves to the work.

It is not probable that the war will last for two years, and $402 bounty to veterans and $302 to new recruits, besides the regular pay and rations is as much as laboring men can expect to realize in the pursuit of any ordinary branch of industry.

But there are higher motives to induce our people to respond heartily and promptly to the demands of the Government.

Peace can only come as the result of victory over the rebels in arms. We have the power, the men and munitions, to win the victory. The more readily we furnish them, the earlier will be the end of the struggle.

Our regiments now in the field have shed an immortal lustre upon our State. History furnishes no parallel to their heroic achievments, and in whatever portion of the Union a citizen of Minnesota may go, he feels himself surrounded with the glory they have won.

Now, on the very eve of final victory, the patriotic people of this State will not leave them with their thinned ranks, to fight this battle alone.

Such a war "costs treasure and blood," but its speedy and triumphant conclusion "will richly compensate for both."

An effort is being made to have each township in the State credited with the number of men it has heretofore furnished, or may furnish, for the service.

The result will be made public as soon as it is known, by this Department.

The time for action in this matter is very short, and I ask the people of Minnesota to use every influence that patriotism or money can exert, to sustain her proud position, and save her from the impending draft.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the State to be affixed, at St. Paul, this L. S. 21st day of November, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

HENRY A. SWIFT.

DIED.

On Wednesday morning, ROBERT TOOMBS, second son of Henry M. and Matilda W. Rice, aged three years and six months.

Funeral from residence of parents on Thursday, at noon. Friends of the family are invited to attend without further notice.

In this city, yesterday morning, Dec. 30, in the 39th year of his age, THOMAS M. MARTIN, of this city.

Further notice of the funeral will be given.

☞ Trenton, N. J., and Cincinnati, O., papers please copy.

FOR SALE.—A yoke of Oxen suitable for the Pineries. Enquire of G. N BEMAN & CO., dec22 Corner Roberts and 5th-sts.

PRESERVED FRUITS.

Green Gages, Pine Apples, and Pears, in Glass, For sale by, J. I. BEAUMONT.

New Advertisements.

Do You Want a Sleigh Ride?

If so, you will need

SLEIGH BELLS AND Horse Blankets.

The largest assortment of which in the city of Saint Paul may be found at the Harness Store of

S. B. LOYE,

Who is selling them as low as the lowest.

☞ Store next door to Edgerton's Bank, Third street. dec31-tf

NOTICE.

Whereas, my wife LIVANA BEDBURY having left my bed and board, I caution all persons harboring or trusting her on my account, as I will pay no debts of her contracting.

JOHN BEDBURY.

Belle Plaine, Dec. 29, 1863. dec31-6tw

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THE NEW NATIONAL CURRENCY.

PREPARATIONS FOR ITS ISSUE.

DESCRIPTION OF THE NOTES.

From the New York Evening Post.

The first notes of the new national currency, authorized by Congress in the beginning of the year, will be issued in a few days. Some of them have already been sent to Washington to receive the Government impress. The considerable time which has elapsed since the passage of the act has been employed in completing the designs and perfecting the notes.

No official statements in relation to this currency have yet been made by the Treasury Department, but the five dollar, and ten dollar notes, which are respectively in the hands of the Continental and American Bank Note Companies of this city, and some unfinished dies for the notes of higher denominations, sufficiently indicate the nature of the designs.

THE PLAN OF THE NOTES.

The plan of the notes is novel, and singularly beautiful. The prominent heads and figures which distinguish so many of the bank bills now in use are entirely omitted from these notes; the figures denoting value are small; and the borders are neatly and carefully engraved with combinations and wreaths. The ordinary distinction between the "face" and "back" of blank notes has, in this case been so nearly destroyed that the designations "obverse" and "reverse" have taken the place of those terms in the nomenclature adopted by the department. The idea underlying the system upon which will be carried through the series of $5, $10, $20, $50, $100, $500 and $1,000, it that of representing in the vignettes on the face of the notes the leading events in the history of our country, with corresponding allegorical pieces of pleasing effect and generally of patriotic suggestion. Covering nearly half the space on the back of the notes there are engravings of celebrated pictures, illustrative of American history, from "The Landing of Columbus," which decorates the five dollar note, to the events of the revolution, while "The Battle of Lake Erie" is one of the vignetts of the one hundred dollar denomination. It may be inferred, but it is by no means certain, that the illustrations on the five hundred dollar and the thousand dollar notes, which it is understood are not yet in the hands of the engraver, unless in the department at Washington, are to commemorate the progress and collapse of the rebellion.

Below will be found a brief description of the notes nearly finished, with some account of the others. There are two vignettes on the face of each note, which is entirely printed in black, and besides the principal piece on the back are the national arms and those of the State where the bank of issue is situated, which with the border, are printed in green.

THE FIVE DOLLAR NOTE.

The vignette at the left hand lower corner represents Columbus discovering the land. Columbus is in the foreground, on the deck of his vessel, while near him, leaning over the side of the vessel, is a figure turning towards him, as if in consultation. Another figure is represented grasping a crucifix; the face is turned heavenward. In the background is a group of which the principal figure is a priest.

On the other end of the note is an allegorical piece representing Columbus introducing America to the Old World. The design of this piece is happily conceived and rendered. The figure of America is that of a young girl. Europe. Asia and Africa are represented by corresponding figures. Europe is in the immediate foreground, Asia is next, and the sable figure of Africa is standing further back. There is also a distant view of shipping and the ocean.

The back of the note is ornamented with a finely executed engraving of the Landing of Columbus, from the painting by Vanderlyn in the rotunda of the capitol at Washington. The appearance of the representation on the note is greatly superior to that of the original, the drawing having been improved by Casilear and other artists. The ends, of elaborate scroll and lathe work, include at the right, in an oval an inch by an inch and a half, the national eagle and shield, with "U. S." in cipher on the sky in the background. The corresponding oval at the other end of the note will contain the coat of arms of the State, as already described. The name of the State will appear on the sky in the background.

The legend on the face of the note is as follows:

NATIONAL CURRENCY.
This note is secured by bonds of
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THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF
[Here will be inserted the name of the place where the bank is situated].
WILL PAY THE BEARER ON DEMAND
FIVE DOLLARS.
[Place of the date.]

The words are so much crowded on the note, and the letters are so black, that the beauty of the engraving is less displayed than it otherwise would be.

The places for the signatures of the President and Cashier are next the lower margin, and near the vignettes.

The following is that part of the inscription on the back which describes the uses of the note:

"This note is receivable at par in all parts of the United States in payment of all taxes and excises and all other dues to the United States, except duties on imports, and also for all salaries and other debts and demands owing by the United States to individuals, corporations and associations within the United States, except interest on public debt."

THE TEN-DOLLAR NOTE.

The legends on the ten-dollar note are the same as those on the five, with the exception, of course, of the denomination. The general arrangement of details is the same, and in that respect the description of the five will apply to the entire series. The vignettes and engravings form the main points of difference. The general shape and design of the figures are also changed. The vignette representation of Fact on the ten-dollar note delineates the experiment of Franklin, by which, with the historical kite, he caught the lightning. The philospher, in the foreground, stands perfectly undisturbed in the storm, while lurid flashes light up the clouds; an attendant with the "bottle"—the electric jar into which Franklin conveyed the lightning—is represented in the engraving. The scene is one of much sublimity.

The corresponding allegorical piece is a beautiful conception. The Genius of America, represented by a female figure, borne upon an eagle amid the clouds, grasps a thunderbolt. The characteristic placidity which distinguishes Franklin attaches also to this figure in a remarkable degree.

The engraving on the back of the note is from the well-known painting, "De-Soto Discovering the Mississippi." There are many figures, and the picture as here represented is improved from the original, like that or the Landing of Columbus, on the five dollar note. The work is in the highest style of art. The other portions of the back are like those on the note first described.

OTHER NOTES.

The historical representations on the face of the twenty dollar note is of the Battle of Lexington. The allegorical piece is "Loyalty;" and it is a timely and spirited picture. A figure of liberty standing in the foreground, bears aloft the Stars and Stripes. Near by, on each side and in the background, are figures of men—farmers, artizans and others—who are rallying around the flag. On the back of the note "The Baptism of Pocahontas" is engraved.

The vignette on the fifty dollar note is "Washington crossing the Delaware." The corresponding allegory, not yet finished, is understood to be "A Prayer for Victory." The back is ornamented with an engraving from Weir's "Embarkation of the Pilgrims."

The one hundred dollar note will have on the face a vignette of the "Battle on Lake Erie," and an allegorical illustration entitled "Maintain It"—that is liberty and nationality. "The Declaration of Indpendence," from Trumbull's picture, is to be engraved on the back. None of the notes, except the five and ten dollar denominations, can be promised for distribution to the banks for some time to come. It is understood that a few of the institutions have ordered the whole amount they are authorized to circulate in the smaller ones.

COUNTERFEITING.

The penalties prescribed in the law for counterfeiting, or in any manner altering or imitating the notes, or passing spurious issues, will probably deter individuals who have any capital, or any regard for their own safety, from making such efforts. The following is a part of the inscription on the back of the notes:

"Counterfeiting or altering this note, or passing any counterfeit or alteration of it, or having in possession any counterfeit plate, or impression of it, or any paper made in imitation of the paper on which it is printed, is felony, and is punishable by $1,000 fine or fifteen years' imprisonment at hard labor, or both."

It is a question, however, for many reasons which we have not space to consider, whether the notes could be successsully counterfeited.

WHAT HAS BEEN ACCOMPLISHED.

The beauty of the designs which have been chosen for the embellishment of the notes; the artistic execution of the work; the general similarity of appearance of the different denominations, though the variety is sufficiently marked to be evident upon the most casual observation, and the strictly national character of the notes, form, with other qualities, a currency which it is safe to say has never been equalled. The peculiar adaptation of the designs, particularly of the historical pictures, renders the new currency perfectly unique, as well as beautiful.

Considerations relating to the financial system upon which the national currency is founded, are not within the scope of this article, and it remains only to be observed that the maximum amount of currency to be issued is $300,000,000, and about 160 banks have been authorized.

Life in Libby Prison—How the Prisoners Kill Time.

The New Haven *Journal* publishes the following extracts of a letter from a Union prisoner at Richmond, dated at the Libby Prison, November 20th:

We expect to bid the surgeons good-bye to-merrow morning; so I am bound to give you a smuggled letter, or fail in the attempt. This thing of writing in such a reserved way is really demoralizing—the idea of being fed on the worst kind of corn meal and water and a small quantity of corn beef, and then being obliged to call these poor fellows Confederates! and forced to say in your letters that you are treated well, for fear that they will not go through.

I am a going to send you some half a dozen rebel papers by different surgeons, so that you may be sure to get two or three. You will see by them that the Southern Confederacy has got into a bad fix over the provision question, which question you will immediately recognize as one of very great importance. The subject of the starvation of the Confederacy has been prophesied so much about that it seems not only trite but nonsensical; however, were you to see what we see and hear what we hear every day, you would begin to think that the happy day was not far off.

We have the strangest set of men to deal with, in connection with the prison, that you ever saw. The commander of the prison is Captain Turner. The inspector of the prison, with whom we have most to do, is Turner by name, also. The former is a slim, thin-faced, straightforward individual, with an extremely conceited expression of the lips. When addressed, he protrudes them out, and raises himself on his heels, and replies in some dry, satiric way, which makes you wish you had not propounded the question. The latter is best described by one's commencing a cross between a hangman and a bull-dog. That he is human we know by seeing him laugh, which, though a very pitiable sight, showed beyond doubt that he was human. This phenomenon, as it seemed to us, took place the first day or two after he took the business of purchasing supplies for the prison, from which contract he makes at least forty per cent. Now, this is a good deal, when you reflect that there is an average of $1,500 (Confederate) going out every day. His stealings have become so enormous lately that we can't stand it much longer. For $5 we can get only enough potatoes for one meal. In their intercourse with us they are sometimes all smiles and full of attention. This is for a couple of days, perhaps; then the next month they won't give you a civil answer.

A week ago they put the darkies to scrubbing, and every day since we have been awakened at about five o'clock in the morning, and forced to get up and remain out of the room a couple of hours. There are one thousand of us here, and we occupy several rooms. It takes them a good while to get around, so they have to commence early, and, to be consistent with colonel Streight, they commence in his room first. Last summer, during the hot weather, if there was any scrubbing to be done, we did it ourselves; but the surgeons are going north, and I suppose it is done for effect.

Among ourselves we have various ways of "passing," or if you like the term, "killing" time. At night, not having much exercise, there is generally considerable noise by what is known as the "Conundrums." Some one asks, "Who's got bone on the brain?" "Captain Jones," some one answers; at which there is a general cry of "hi! hi! hi!"

Bone on the brain is a disease quite prevalent. You see the afflicted individual, at the time when the beef is divided out, begging for a bone. If he gets it, he boils it at once, and then works it up into a ring, a miniature bible, or any other article suggested by his morbid condition of mind.

This disease afflicts individvals who have the least resources in themselves, though sometimes it extends to those who are supposed to have a little internal life. Its first symptoms are known by the patient yawning and complaining of nothing to do. A certain Dr. S. was so ignorant of his profession as to vaccinate about a dozen officers of this room with vaccine matter from the arm of a man who had received his also from a full grown person, and as the physical condition of every one must necessarily be bad, it produced a large, revolting sore on the arm. which it has taken months to heal. This makes a very prolific source of amusement in the evening—conundrums; and poor Dr. S. gets severely punished for his ignorance. Let some unlucky wight ask some question that does not take, and there is at once a general cry of "vaccinate him."

The Outbreak at Fort St. Phillip.

We have published a paragraph which reported a mutiny among the colored soldiers at Fort St. Phillip, near New Orleans. The following from the correspondence of the Evening *Post*, explains the matter:

On the 9th, Lieutenant-Colonel Benedict tied a man down and flogged him severely. To this the men objected, as they had been told but a few days before, by Adjutant-General Thomas, that they were to be flogged no more; that they were freemen and soldiers, and should be kindly treated. They rebelled, took their arms and proceeded to drive Lieutenant Colonel Benedict from the camp. He took refuge on board the steamer Suffolk amid a terrible volley of musketry. When the men discovered that the lieutenant-colonel was gone they hid themselves in the fort and woods, fearful of what the result would be; but when called upon by other officers of the regiments, they returned and stacked their arms, sorry for what occurred, and protesting that they meant no harm to any one or anything but Lieutenant Colonel Benedict.

That Colonel Benedict was to blame for his harsh treatment there is no doubt, and the fault must rest with him. He is not likely to return to the regiment, even is he is not dismissed the service. No action has been taken for punishment yet, so far as I can learn, and the regiment has been more faithful and prompt than ever in its duties and drills since the cruel lieutenant colonel left. What action will be taken I cannot tell. The men are obedient, inoffensive and tractable; they love a soldier's life, and will die for an officer who befriends and well treats them. They are like Newfoundland dogs in regard to faithfulness, and as kind and gentle; but they will probably resist any attempt to re-enslave them so long as muskets and forty rounds of cartridges are in their hands. In this disturbance but one was wounded—no lives were lost, and quiet was restored in an hour, though the whole five hundred men joined in the expulsion.

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Leaves Coon Creek	8:35 A. M.	Leave Coon Creek	4.40 P. M.
Leaves Manomin	9:05 A. M.	Leaves Manomin	5:00 P. M.
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Legal Notices.

CHANCERY SALE—CIRCUIT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA—NINTH CIRCUIT—IN AND FOR THE DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA—ss:

Peres R. Pitts and Gideon Pitts vs. the Little Falls Manufacturing Company.

FORECLOSURE IN CHANCERY.

Decree, October Term, A. D. 1863—$3,862.50, with interest and costs.

Pursuant to the decretal order of the Circuit Court of the United States of America, for the District aforesaid, made in the above entitled cause at the October Term, A. D. 1863, of said Court, the undersigned, Special Master in Chancery, of said Court, appointed by said Court to execute said decretal order, will sell at public auction, to the highest cash bidder, on

SATURDAY, THE THIRTIETH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1864,

at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the front entrance to the place of holding said Court, in Brown's Block, Third street, in the city of St. Paul, in said District of Minnesota, the following described premises, to wit:

All and singular the following described pieces or parcels of land situate lying and being in the county of Morrison, and State of Minnesota, to wit: Block numbered two (2), block numbered three (3), block numbered four (4), block numbered five (5), except lot numbered five (5) in block numbered five (5); lots numbered one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), and seven (7), in block numbered six (6); lots one (1), two (2), three (3), and four (4), in block numbered seven (7); lots numbered one (1), two (2), three (3), and four (4), in block numbered eight (8); lots numbered one (1), two (2), three (3), and four (4), in block numbered nine (9); lots numbered one (1), two (2), three (3), and four (4), in block numbered eleven (11); lots numbered one (1), two (2), three (3), and four (4), in block numbered (12), all in the town of Little Falls, according to a map of said town, made by S. M. Putnam, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of Morrison. Also, those tracts or parcels of land lying within the limits of said town, and known and designated on said map of Little Falls, as the "Railroad Reserve," and the "Mill Reserve," and "Lumber Yard." Also, those islands in the Mississippi River at Little Falls, designated on said maps "Boom Island," "Mill Island," and "Maple Island," said last three mentioned pieces of land being lot number ed six (6) in section eight (8), lot numbered three (3) in section seven (7), and lot numbered five in section eight (8) in township numbered forty (40) of Range numbered thirty-two (32) west, according to Government survey. Also, all other pieces or parcels of land belonging to said defendant, and lying between First street and the Mississippi River, according to the map of Little Falls aforesaid.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 16, 1863.

H. E. MANN,
Special Master in Chancery.

F. R. E. & W. B. CORNELL, Plaintiff's Solicitors. dec17-6w

NOTICE.

In the matter of the application of the Minneapolis, Faribault and Cedar Valley Railroad Company for the appointment of three Commissioners to examine and assess the damages which may be sustained by the several owners or claimants of the lands through which the road of said Company (the St. Paul branch) is located within the county of Ramsey in the State of Minnesota, by reason of the appropriation of such lands for Railroad purposes by said Company:

To the several owners and claimants of the lands in this notice mentioned, or of any part thereof, and to all and every person or persons having or claiming any estate, right or interest in any portion of such lands: You and each of you are hereby notified that an application will be made by and in behalf of the Minneapolis, Faribault and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, to the Hon. Edward C. Palmer, Judge of the District Court, of the Second Judicial District, of the State of Minnesota, at the Court House, in the city of Saint Paul, in said Ramsey County, on the thirteenth day of January, A. D. 1864, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, for the appointment of three Commissioners to examine and assess the damages which may be sustained by the several owners and claimants of the several pieces, parcels, lots or tracts of land, through or upon which the road of said Company, to wit: the St. Paul branch thereof, is located in said county of Ramsey, by reason of the appropriation and taking thereof by said Company, for railroad purposes, to wit: for the right of way for their said road, the necessary turnouts, sites for water buildings, conduits, tanks, depots, storehouses, machine and other shops, and extra tracks necessary therefor, and to ascertain and fix the compensation to be paid therefor by said Company.

The following is a description of the lands within the said county of Ramsey, through or upon which said road is located, and which is sought to be taken and appropriated for the purposes aforesaid:

In Rice & Irvine's Addition to St. Paul.

Part of lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, in block 36.
Part of lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 37.
The whole of block 38.
The whole of block 39.
The whole of block 40.
Part of lots 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, in block 41.
The whole of block 43.
Part of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, in block 44.
Part of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 11, in block 45.
The whole of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, in block 46.
The whole of block 47.
The whole of block 48.
The whole of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, in block 49.

In Irvine's Enlargement.

Part of lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, and the whole of lots 17 to 25, inclusive, in block 68. Also, the strip of land lying between lots 8 and 9, in said block 68, and the whole of blocks 69 and 70.

In Leach's Addition to St. Paul.

Part of lot 7, in block 7.

In Winslow's Addition to St. Paul.

Part of lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, in block 14.
Part of lots 4, 5 and 6, in block 15.
Part of block 17.

In Stinson, Brown & Ramsey's Addition to St. Paul.

Part of the south half of block 15.
Part of lot 11, in the north half of block 15.
Part of block 16.
Part of lots 11, 12, 28, 29, 30, 59, 60, 61, 63, 64 and 65, in the *sub-division* of block 28.
Part of lots 2, 3, 4 and 5, in the *sub-division* of block 29.

ALSO, Part of the s e ¼ of the s e ¼ of sec. 1, of township 28, range 23, and part of the n w ¼ of the n e ¼ of sec. 12, of the same township and Range.

H. R. BIGELOW, Attorney for the M., F. & C. V. R. R. Co., St. Paul, Minn.
Dated December 12th, A. D. 1863. dec12-td

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SIMS, VAWTER & ROSE,

DRUGS, DRUGS, DRUGS,

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

(UNION BLOCK,)

No. 111 Third Street.

Our aim is to keep in store a well selected and COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF GOODS.

We feel that thus far our efforts have been duly appreciated, and trusting a continuance of patronage, we renew our endeavors.

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Our BURNING OILS we notice especially, and ask a trial of its merits. The Oil that is most DURABLE, giving the same light, is of course

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Pills and Granules, at card prices.

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Of **them** in use in **this country** and **Europe.**

These are the **only machines** making the **Lock Stitch** with the **Rotating Hook.**

Are **profitable** and **available a life time.**

Equal to **ten seamstresses.**

An **annual dividend** of 100 to 500 per cent. (on their cost) may be obtained in use—by **their possessor.**

The **Glass Cloth-Presser,** (so popular,) can only be had with these Machines.

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SEWING MACHINES,

MAKING BOTH THE

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PRICE $40 AND UPWARDS.

FIRST PREMIUMS in Illinois, Ohio, Iowa and Michigan.

Parties purchasing machines of the GROVER & BAKER S. M. CO., can have their choice of machines making either stitch, and change if they desire to. *The only company able to offer such inducements.* They also offer to the public at the extremely low price of

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A Straight Needle Lock Stitch Machine,

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GOOD WINTER APPLES,

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TOBACCO, CIGARS, PIPES, SNUFF, &c.

F. W. TUCHELT,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Tobacco, Cigars, &c. Fine Imported Cigars, Smoking and Chewing Tobacco. Fine Cut Chewing, superior to any in the city. Sweet Briar Root Pipes, a large assortment.

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Dry Goods.

D. W. INGERSOLL & CO.,

Are now receiving an extensive stock of

Fall and Winter

DRY GOODS,

from

Late Cash Sales in New York

Consisting in part of

MUSLIN DE LAINES,

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LUPIN'S FRENCH MERINOES,

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PARIS SILK STRIPES,

PARAMATTAS,

Alpaccas, Mohairs, &c., &c

Mourning Goods.

LADIES' LONG AND SQUARE

SHAWLS,

In every variety.

Cloakings, Balmoral Skirts,

Kid Padded Hoop Skirts,

Hoods, Scarfs, Sontags.

HOSIERY,

Consisting of English and German Cotton, Woollen and Worsted Hose.

LADIES & CHILDREN'S BALMORAL HOSE.

White and mixed

WRAPPERS & DRAWERS.

CLOTHS and CASSIMERES.

White, red and mixed]

FLANNELS.

Sheetings, Shirtings, Tickings,

Denims, Blankets.

ALL COUNTRY MERCHANTS who purchase

FOR CASH,

Should examine our stock before purchasing.

We will not be undersold in this market.

D. W. Ingersoll & Co.,
Sept. 1:1y **ST. PAUL, MIN.**

CLOTHING AND Gent's Furnishing Goods,

AT THE STORE OF

W. H. TEMPLE,

THIRD ABOVE MINNESOTA ST.

Overcoats.

FINE BEAVER.....$14, $18 and $25.
BLACK DOESKIN, CASSIMERE AND CLOTH.....$14 to $20.
PETERSHAM, PILOT & SATINET..$8 to $18.

Business Coats, Frocks & Sacks

A large assortment, $6 to $20.

Pantaloons for the Million.

From a coarse Satinet to a fine Doeskin, all new goods, and made up in style.

VESTS.

Black Doeskin, Cloth, Figured Cassimere, Silk and Silk Velvet, of different grades.

Shirts and Drawers,

Winter Caps, Hats, Gloves, Socks, Ties,
FINE WHITE AND FANCY WOOL SHIRTS.

We have now in store one of the largest stocks of Clothing in the State. Our goods have been bought so that we can give bargains. Those in want of any article in our line would do well to give us a call.

my30-tf **W. H. TEMPLE.**

CHRISTMAS

IS SURE TO COME,

And some will wish they had got their supply to

FILL THE CHILDREN'S STOCKINGS,

Before the last days.

AT KELLOGG'S

There is plenty of Toys, and by giving a little time or notice, he will supply the whole country.

NOW IS YOUR TIME.

You can have your kegs filled with SWEET CIDER, made to-day. dec17-tf

TOYS! TOYS!!

China TOYS, Glass TOYS, TOYS made of Tin; Wood TOYS, Willow TOYS, some as big agin; TOY Tops, TOY Buckets, TOY Dusters, too; TOY Sheep, TOY Dogs, TOYS red and blue.

TOY Dolls for Girls, TOY Drums for Boys; TOYS for the young, and TOYS for the old; TOYS for everybody—all sorts of TOYS; TOYS for the Holidays—all to be sold.

TOY Cradles, TOY Babies, also TOY Beds; TOY Skates, TOY Horses, as well as TOY Sleds; TOY Albums, TOY Chairs, TOYS cheap and dear; TOY Guns and TOY Swords, for the new Year.

All that want presents, for the little girls and boys, come to KELLOGG'S Store—that's the place for TOYS;—where is this TOY-SHOP—just tell me if you can,—across from the Bridge,—

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dec5

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DR. DEMONTREVILLE,

DENTIST,

(Office in French's Block,)

Third Street, near the Post Office,

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Dry Goods.

OUR SPECIALTIES.

DRESS GOODS.—A large line, consisting of French Merinos, All Wool and Union Plaids, Empress Cloths, Plaid Valencias, Muslin de Laines, &c., &c. at very low figures, at

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SHAWLS.—We have now on hand a selection of Long and Square Shawls, which the most fastidious can select from. As our prices are always as low as the lowest, we invite inspection on them, at

Hogan & Camp's.

CLOAKS AND CLOAKINGS.—Our stock of these goods is very extensive. We have Seal Skin Beavers, Frosted Beavers, Esquimeaux Beavers, Castor Beavers, Doeskins and Felts, Broadcloths in all colors, at the lowest market prices, at

HOGAN & CAMP'S.

BALMORAL SKIRTS.—Having upwards of 500 assorted styles of English, French, and American manufacture for Ladies, Misses and children. We can sell them at a little under the market price, by the single Skirt, or dozen, at

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ALL HOUSES HAVE THEIR SPECIALITIES. The above are our's, and we feel that we can at present offer inducements on them that no other House in Minnesota can.

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Are not the Agents for Cooper's Cabinet Photographs, but they have on hand the largest stock of

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FURNITURE,

TO BE FOUND IN ST. PAUL.

Oval Frames, Gilt and Rosewood Mouldings, &c.

Also, a few *Photographs* which they will sell (not at cost) but at (Cahill & Co.'s) the Agents' prices. dec8-1m

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FOR SALE,

Lot 2, Block 22, Rice & Irvine's Addition—corner lot, 72 feet front on Third street and 150 feet on Hill street, adjoining Hope Engine House. Will be sold low.

TERMS—Part cash and part credit.

Apply to D. COOPER,
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ST. PAUL LAMP STORE,

(Branch of the great Aladdin,)

Opposite Pioneer Office.

OILS, LAMPS, SHADES, GLOBES, LANTERNS, CHIMNEYS, BURNERS, CANS, &c., &c.

The Largest Stock, The Greatest Variety, and the

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EVER EXHIBITED IN THIS CITY.

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AT COMBS' BOOK STORE,

CAN BE FOUND A LARGE STOCK OF

Childrens' Books,
Gift Books,
Photograph Albums,
Bibles, Prayer Books,

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DIARIES for 1864, all Styles,
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NOTICE.

MADAME ANDREWS,

Clairvoyant,

Has returned and taken the two story frame house on Tenth-st., two doors west of St. Peter-st., on right hand side, where she can be consulted for a short time only.

Clairvoyant Examinations $1. Past, Present and future, 50c.

Persons wishing to consult her, are requested to walk up stairs without knocking. Hours from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M. dec8-3m

FOSTER & HARDENBURGH,

SHIP CHANDLERS AND SAIL MAKERS,

No. 217 South Water Street, Chicago,

Have constantly on hand a large assortment of

Manilla & Tarred Rope, Ditching Ropes,

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CHAINS, TACKLE BLOCKS, TENTS, AWNINGS, WAGON COVERS, COTTON AND RUSSIA DUCKS,

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Common and Patent **Hoist Wheels,** for buildings, constantly on hand.

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RASPBERRIES, BLACKBERRIES, STRAWBERRIES, PEACHES, PINE APPLES, TOMATOES, CHERRIES

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Stuart's White Drip, Extra Honey, Golden, Amber and Sugar House Syrups.

New Sugar Cured Dried Beef, and Pine Apple Cheese, and a complete and desirable stock of Fresh

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S. K. PUTNAM,
near the Post Office.

CIDER.

100 bbls. pure Juice of the Apple, at PUTNAM'S.

GRAPES.

25 boxes Isabellas and Catawbas, at PUTNAM'S

APPLES.

400 barrels Winter, at PUTNAM'S. no4

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In Moffet's Castle, corner Jackson and Fourt street,

Goods delivered to all parts of the City free of charge. no20-tf

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200 bbls. selected

Fall and Winter Apples

AT PUTNAM'S.

Choice White

Winter Wheat Flour,

AT PUTNAM'S.

CHEESE—ONE THOUSAND LBS.

Extra Hamburgh,

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LOWER LEVEE, SAINT PAUL,

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SIBLEY STREET,.....NEAR LEVEE
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AND

Wholesale Grocers,

Prince's Block, Jackson-st., St. Paul.

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LAFLIN, SMITH & CO.'S

GUNPOWDER.

St Paul, October 13, 1863. oc13-6m

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STRONG'S CARPET HALL,

225 Third-St., Rogers' Block,

where will be found a large assortment of

Carpets, Oil Cloths, Mattings,

CURTAIN AND SHADE MATERIALS,

MATTRESSES, FEATHERS, WALL PAPER, &c.

New Goods constantly arriving and sold as low as the lowest.

UPHOLSTERING DONE TO ORDER.

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ENLIST AND AVOID THE DRAFT.

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THIS Regiment will POSITIVELY never leave the State in ANY emergency. This I state on the highest authority, while the bounty is the same as elsewhere, to wit:

$102 *for New Recruits, and* $102 *to any one who has already served Nine Months and been Honorably Discharged.*

Subsistence and Transportation will be furnished to every recruit from the date of enlistment.

Persons desiring to enlist in this company can get any particulars by applying to, or addressing M. C. RUSSELL, Belle Plaine, or Maj. L. L. BAXTER, Shakopee.

M. C. RUSSELL,
dec8-tf Recruiting Officer.

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Third St., between Cedar and Wabashaw,

M. C. TUTTLE.

Has just opened a New Gallery on the ground floor, where he will be pleased to see his old friends and customers. His stock and apparatus are new, and have all the latest improvements.

☞ ESPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO TAKING CHILDREN'S PICTURES

Pictures from Locket Size to Life Size, in the

Finest Style.

☞ *Photograph Albums furnished as cheap as any other House, and a Carte de Visite taken gratis!* no24-tf

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For sale by
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CHICAGO BREWERY.

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BREWERS OF

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Cream Pale Ale,

LAGER BEER,

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FOR SALE BY

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Thermometrical Record.

KEPT BY DAY & JENKS, DRUGGISTS, CORNER OF THIRD AND CEDAR STREETS.

DECEMBER.	7:30 A. M.	1 P. M.	6 P. M.
1 Tuesday	25	44	37
2 Wednesday	28	42	35
3 Thursday	29	46	42
4 Friday	23	38	27
5 Saturday	10	26	22
6 Sunday	20	41	33
7 Monday	36	40	39
8 Tuesday	34	36	34
9 Wednesday	29	34	34
10 Thursday	32	36	35
11 Friday	36	32	28
12 Saturday	29	32	30
13 Sunday	14	18	14
14 Monday	10	13	10
15 Tuesday	1	12	13
16 Wednesday	14	20	21
17 Thursday	21	20	13
18 Friday	1	10	7
19 Saturday	10*	5	4
20 Sunday	10	18	13
21 Monday	8	30	28
22 Tuesday	28	36	32
23 Wednesday	29	32	32
24 Thursday	22	32	30
25 Friday	26	31	30
26 Saturday	29	32	38
27 Sunday	26	32	36
28 Monday	29	29	24
29 Tuesday	2*	29	4

*Below Zero.

THE CITY.

THE CLOSING YEAR.

BY GEORGE D. PRENTICE.

'Tis midnight's holy hour, and silence now
Is brooding, like a gentle spirit, o'er
The still and pulseless world. Hark! on the winds,
The bell's deep tones are swelling;—'tis the knell
Of the departed year. No funeral train
Is sweeping past; yet, on the stream and wood,
With melancholy light, the moonbeams rest
Like a pale, spotless shroud; the air is stirred,
As by a mourner's sigh; and, on yon cloud,
That floats so still and placidly through heaven,
The spirits of the Seasons seem to stand,—
Young Spring, bright Summer, Autumn's solemn form,
And Winter, with his aged locks,—and breathe
In mournful cadences, that come abroad
Like the far wind-harp's wild, touching wail,
A melancholy dirge o'er the dead year,
Gone from the earth forever.

'Tis a time
For memory and for tears. Within the deep,
Still chambers of the heart, a specter dim,
Whose tones are like the wizard voice of Time,
Heard from the tomb of ages, points its cold
And solemn finger to the beautiful
And holy visions, that have passed away,
And left no shadow of their loveliness
On the dead waste of life. That specter lifts
The coffin-lid of Hope, and Joy, and Love,
And bending mournfully above the pale,
Sweet forms that slumber there, scatter dead flowers
O'er what has passed to nothingness.

The year
Has gone, and with it, many a glorious throng
Of happy dreams. Its mark is on each brow,
Its shadow, in each heart. In its swift course
It waved its scepter o'er the beautiful;
And they are not. It laid its pallid hand
Upon the strong man; and the haughty form
Is fallen, and the flashing eye is dim.
It trod the hall of revelry, where thronged
The bright and joyous; and the tearful wail
Of stricken ones is heard, where erst the song
And reckless shout resounded. It passed o'er
The battle-plain, where sword, and spear, and shield,
Flashed in the light of mid-day; and the strength
Of serried hosts is shivered, and the grass,
Green from the soil of carnage, waves above
The crushed and mouldering skeleton. It came,
And faded like a wreath of mist at eve;
Yet, ere it melted in the viewless air,
It heralded its millions to their home,
In the dim land of dreams.

Remorseless Time!
Fierce spirit of the glass and scythe! what power
Can stay him in his silent course, or melt
His iron heart to pity! On, still on,
He presses, and forever. The proud bird,
The condor of the Andes, that can soar
Through heaven's unfathomable depths, or brave
The fury of the northern hurricane,
And bathe its plumage in the thunder's home,
Furls his broad wing at night-fall, and sinks down
To rest upon his mountain crag; but Time
Knows not the weight of sleep or weariness,
And Night's deep darkness has no chain to bind
His rushing pinion.

Revolutions sweep
O'er earth, like troubled visions o'er the breast
Of dreaming sorrow; cities rise and sink
Like bubbles on the water; fiery isles
Spring blazing from the ocean, and go back
To their mysterious caverns; mountains rear
To heaven their bold and blackened cliffs, and bow
Their tall heads to the plain; and empires rise,
Gathering the strength of hoary centuries,
And rush down, like the Alpine avalanche,
Startling the nations; and the very stars,
Yon bright and glorious blazonry of God,
Glitter awhile in their eternal depths,
And, like the Pleiad, loveliest of their train,
Shoot from their glorious spheres, and pass away
To darkle in the trackless void; yet Time,
Time, the tomb-builder, holds his fierce career,
Dark, stern, all-pitiless, and pauses not
Amid the mighty wrecks that strew his path,
To sit and muse, like other conquerors,
Upon the fearful ruin he hath wrought.

STEREOPTICON.—Of all the manifold applications of Photography, there is none so delightful as the Stereopticon. A Sterescope is exquisite but it is not social. The pictures are small, and looking at them is somewhat trying to the eyes, but the Stereopticon by means of powerful lenses, a calcium light and a transparent photograph, throws upon canvass a picture of a cascade, a glacier, a cathedral, a bridge, a ruined abbey, or a castle on the Rhine. The picture is beautifully illuminated and fifteen feet in diameter, and a thousand people can admire it together. Wherever it has been exhibited the audiences have been transported with enthusiastic delight. We are indebted to the enterprise of one our own citizens for the privileges which we are to have in a few days of seeing one of those beautiful exhibitions.

EHEU FUGACES LABUNTUR ANNI.—The year is almost gone—this is the last day. Won't your friends or your children expect a *New Year's present?* If so, go to Davenport, 294 Third street. There you will find Turkey bound poets, photographic albums, portfolios, juvenile books, in short, everything in his line at reduced prices.

"Now is the day and now the hour,
See, the stock begin to *lower*."
Go to Davenport—delays are dangerous.

AN "ANXIOUS INQUIRER" is respectfully informed, that the "Photograph Album" presented, last Evening, to Lieut. G. W. Prescott, Superintendent of the Baptist Sabbath School, came from the beautiful collection at Merrill's store. Mr. Merrill would also say, that he has more of the same and other kinds left, which he will sell to "Anxious Inquirers," "or any other man" at very low prices. "How are you Postage Currency."

AWLED.—A. Hurm, a shoemaker on Jackson street, entered Rogers & Son's leather store yesterday and attacked W. D. Rogers with an awl. Some ill-feeling existed between the parties previously, the nature of which we are not informed. He punched Mr. Rogers half a dozen times in the arms and breast, but inflicted no serious injury. His father coming to his aid, received a couple of thrusts in the wrist, and the belligerant shoemaker was then captured.

His visit to the police court resulted in a fine of twenty dollars, which was paid.

THERE is to be a grand shooting match at White Bear Lake on New Year's.

The Black Bear at the Murray House will be shot for among other things.

There will be something to eat, and a dance in the evening.

An Indignant D. D.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 30th, 1863.

Editors of the St. Paul Press:

I have had my attention called to an article in your daily of this morning, so unjust to me and so untrue that I trust you will allow me to reply also through your paper.

The charge against me had its origin, whatever that origin may be, in a deliberate falsehood.

The truth is simply this, that on Monday evening about 7 1-2 o'clock as I was walking on Norris street on my way home, a man, well known to me, approached and struck me several blows upon the head and left me senseless in the ditch at the side of the road, or street, where I remained till I was assisted to go away. The statement that I was intoxicated contains not a shadow of truth. The same man had beaten me with several blows—knocking me down, on the Saturday previous, and this was done in the presence of many witnesses.

I shall have the matter investigated in a court of law immediately.

Rev. J. E. FREYGANG, D. D.

G. B. SALMON, Agent, Madison Mutual Insurance Company, for the counties of Ramsey, Washington, Dakota, and Scott. Office n Parker Paige's Bank, St. Paul. no25-jan5d&w

MERCHANTS IN THE COUNTRY

CAN FIND AT OUR STORE A LARGE STOCK OF

MEN'S BUFFALO SHOES,

AND

Women's Buffalo Shoes.

Being fortunate in the purchase of these, we are selling them for much less than they bring in Chicago.

We have also a full supply of

KIP MOCCASINS,

OIL TAN MOCCASINS,

MITTS AND GLOVES.

Please call on us and we guarantee to show you a

Complete Stock

AT

LOW PRICES.

WM. J. SMITH & CO.,

ST. PAUL.

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LADIES LOOK FOR YOURSELVES.

20 Per Cent.

BELOW COST!

LARGE REDUCTION IN

MILLINERY GOODS,

From this date till the 1st of February.

MRS. J. B. LYGO,

Proposes selling

WINTER MILLINERY GOODS,

At the following low prices, viz:

Velvet Bonnets at	$6.00	worth	$8.00
Silk Bonnets	$4 00	"	0.
Velvet Flowers	30c each	"	50c
Felt Hats	$1.25	"	$1.75
do	$1.00	"	$1.50
Beaver Hats	$1.50	"	$2.00
Muslin Flowers	15c each.		

CLOAKS,

And all articles usually sold in a

MILLINERY STORE,

Including a very large assortment of Ribbons at a proportionate reduction. Call and see for yourselves!

NO HUMBUG!

MRS. J. B. LYGO.

P. S.—Mrs. LYGO having imported one of the largest Millinery stock of Goods ever brought to the West, and paid cash prices for the same, is thus enabled to offer to the Public the above Goods at the largely reduced prices to her Patrons and the Public in general.

N. B.—Having such a large stock of Goods on hand, I am obliged to sacrifice my Goods to make room for my Spring Importations.

MRS. J. B. LYGO.

Third street, two doors below Thompson's Bank.

dec30-2w

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BOOK AND JOB PRINTING,

The Press Printing Co.

In order to keep pace with their rapidly increasing business are constantly extending their facilities for Book and Job Printing. They have recently introduced Steam into their establishment, and put up another of

HOE'S LARGE CYLINDER PRESSES.

We are prepared to Print all kinds of

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